of their business they can make a fair profit."

Mr. Jacoby stated further that the spirit animating all participants in the fashion show this season is to encourage wise and conservative buying. The suit or gown of frightful expense is shown but seldom this year. Moderate prices and smart but dignified lines prevail throughout the world of woman's attire, which is nevertheless of more distinguished appearance this year than for some time past. Extreme simplicity of line gives a youthful effect to the figure, and all frocks come under the general head of "wearable" for many occasions.

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BRING GOLD HERE TO AID GERMAN PLOTS

Plan Transferred to Senator Humbert as Traitor Faced Exposure.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Further disclosures in the investigation conducted here into the activities in America of Bolo Pasha until the time of death in France for which were made public today including that Charles Humbert, the former senator who was arrested charged with being a agent to Bolo Pasha's conviction, while in Paris had German money amounting to $170,000 on deposit in this country.

The money was placed with J. P. Morgan & Co. here on instructions of Bolo Pasha, who according to the evidence, had it transferred from his own account in the Royal Bank of Canada to Senator Humbert's account with the Morgan firm.

PAPERS IN FRANCE.

The documents showing this transaction are in the possession of the French government for use in connection with Senator Humbert's trial. They were obtained from the records of J. P. Morgan & Co. during the Bolo Pasha inquiry by Merton E. Lewis, Attorney-General of New York State, but were not made public at the time the evidence incriminating Bolo Pasha and conviction was published. Their publication was authorized today by the Attorney-General.

The evidence shows that Senator Humbert had to his credit in New York at various times as high as $3,000,000. Most of it was transferred to Paris to New York through Morgan, Harjes & Co., to J. P. Morgan & Co., but $170,000 was transferred from the New York branch of the Royal Bank of Canada to J. P. Morgan & Co. in response to instructions by Bolo Pasha, who had money on deposit in the Canadian institution.

GERMAN MONEY.

This $170,000 was German money," Perley Morse, investigator for Atty.-Gen. Lewis, said today in making public the evidence. "Whether any part of the rest of the money which Senator Humbert had on deposit in New York came to him from Bolo Pasha remains to be determined by the French government."

The money which Bolo Pasha had on deposit with the Royal Bank of Canada, Mr. Morse said, was part of the $5,000,000 which Bolo Pasha used for German propaganda work here and in France.

Senator Humbert credits with the Morgan firm were partly in cash and partly in British bonds. Whether the purchase of the British securities was made by the Senator because of a desire to make investments or because it was because he wished to be able to prove later that he had bought the bonds of an Allied power, Mr. Morse said, might be brought out at the Senator's trial.

OPENS ACCOUNT.

Senator Humbert opened his account with J. P. Morgan & Co. here on August 7, 1915, when Morgan, Harjes & Co. transferred about $52,000 to the New York firm from Humbert's Paris account. Transferrals continued to be made in this way until July 1, 1917, at which time his credits with the Morgan firm here approached the half-million mark. Meanwhile, Humbert had made withdrawals here by having sums of money credit transferred back to the bankers, Humbert meanwhile purchasing United Kingdom bonds which he left on deposit with the New York bankers. On October 1, when Atty.-Gen. Lewis's investigation was completed, Senator Humbert's credit here $123,000 in cash and $2,000,000 in bonds. It is understood these credits are with the Morgan firm here today.

Mr. Morse said the evidence does

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GERMANS MOVE MANY TROOPS TO FACE AMERICAN SECTOR.

LARGE troop movements behind the German lines at night are reported from the American sector northwest of Toul, says the Associated Press. The artillery bombardment there has been most intense. Little damage was done by the German gunfire. Attempts by German patrols to reach the American trenches were futile.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS

Good Luck.

BERRY SINGS SWAN SONG; QUITS WITH OLD SMILE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 25.—Hen Berry sang his swan song today. It's no more the man of baseball and multitudinous affairs but the chap of leisure who can laugh at other people's troubles, which don't exist for him and live for the day alone.

Fact is, Hen has let some ten years roll off his countenance, and he positively radiates happiness.

As to the future, he is disposed to let that take care of itself. The former Los Angeles magnate refuses to consider himself out of baseball until the papers are signed, sealed and delivered, but he's over the top, just the same.

"I don't know what I'm going to do," said Hen with the same happy aimlessness that has characterized his baseball career. "Maybe I'll stay here and perhaps I'll go to Alaska.

"One thing is certain, I don't want to get back into baseball—not for a time, at least. I've had my share—built two ball parks, one in Los Angeles and one here, and have bought and sold many clubs. At that, I'm getting out with about as much as I put in, and have had a lot of fun to boot.

"I wish the new owners all the success in the world, and I'm going to be right there to boost for them."

Charlie Graham carried a set of the legal documents, drawn up by D. Berry, the Berry attorney, to Sacramento, and it is in the cards that signatures will be affixed tomorrow, which will make Sunday's proposition binding.

After that it's a case of the new stockholders taking full charge and working out their own salvation.

Del Howard's Oaks have a running start on the other teams in the race. At least there are seven of the ambitious youngsters who reported for a workout, and with Howard as instructor, cut loose for a couple of hours on the Oakland lot.

And it was always thus—the young fellows who can get along with little work are the first to put in an appearance. The squad today included the following:

Eugene Caldera, pitcher, with San Leandro; R. Caldera, pitcher, who had a tryout with Vernon; Charles Martinelli, catcher; Earl Perry, first sacker, Santa Clara; Nelson Hawks, San Francisco boy, an outfielder; Ralph Croll, infielder, with team last fall; Paul Kennedy, infielder, Coalinga.

Del takes his talent to Boyes Springs next Sunday, so these chaps will have something on the late arrivals.

Hack Miller, who, it was thought, might quit baseball, has sent in his signed contract. Elmer Leifer, a twirler from the Northwestern League, later used as an outfielder because he could hit, is also signed for the season.

Gasoline.

HOREY, PICKENS'S LATEST, IS DUE HERE TOMORROW.

"THIS Horey is the blood-sweating, man-eating behemoth of the gasoline game. He admits it. Tomorrow afternoon he will be here to tell you about it himself."

That's the introduction Fred Horey, champion of the International Motor Contest Association circuit, got to Los Angeles last night when "Bill" Pickens returned home from Chicago after a trip East for fresh faces to start in the George Washington sweepstakes on March 10. In addition to signing Horey, Pickens is still dickering with Dario Resta and Louis Disbrow, and asserts he can get either or both, if there is any demand from the local public for them to race at Ascot.

"Horey welcomed a chance to break in and tackle the stars of the A.A.A.," said Pickens. "For two years now he has been champion of the I.M.C.A., smashing record after record established under Three A. auspices. He has proved a real sensation all over the East, but he has never had an opportunity to tangle with the Oldfields and Hearnes and Durants and Miltons and Restas. He is due to arrive tomorrow, and a wire from him says he is full of pep and vinegar."

All of which sounds like Mr. Horey was either awfully cocky or awfully good. The birds he mentions have been going along quite a while, winning in all sorts of company, and giving Father Time a regular battle any kind of going. The I.M.C.A. star is peddling a lot of conversation, and if he makes good on it local fans will have a new idol to cheer on March 10.

Eddie Hearne and "Millionaire Cliff" Durant either don't know enough to run when they're scared—or Horey can't scare them. The Chevrolet demon and the Roamer pilot yesterday sent their entries in for the George Washington Sweepstakes, and the one-mile preliminary dash and passed the I.M.C.A. champ over with a wave of their hands. Hearne has been working on the car with which he won the Liberty Sweepstakes, and isn't afraid to tell out loud that it is faster than ever. Durant has been in town for several days, and was very much on the job looking after his Chevrolet special. Cliff went like a house afire the last time he appeared here, and looked like a winner in the ten-mile event, until a tire popped with him.

Resta's final decision will be forthcoming from the East today. Addison Brown, the wealthy gasoline enthusiast, who has been trying to get the champion to drive his latest speed creation, has made Dario a nice offer to come here, but the wise guys are betting that the wily English-Italian pilot will sidestep such a tricky course as Ascot.

BRUCE KIRKPATRICK IS GOING TO CHINA.

If his passport can be secured, Bruce Kirkpatrick, Hollywood High and Occidental College football hero, will leave in two weeks for Hangchow, China, to become an instructor in Hangchow Christian University. Paul Kirkpatrick, a brother of the Oxy gridder, is already one of the faculty of Hangchow University and the two will have full charge of athletics for that institution. Bruce "Kirk" was an all-conference tackle last season and considered one of Oxy's best bets for next year.

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THE WISE SAYINGS OF SPORT O'MALLEY

BY EDWIN F. O'MALLEY.

TOMMY Burns, ex-champion heavyweight boxer, has a funny bone that fairly twitches with good stories. A famous cartoonist of dear old Gotham couldn't fall in with the idea that Tommy smacked of topnotch material—hence a slam showing the pugilist busily engaged in picking lemons off a tree. The lampoon found its way to far-off Australia. In a frolic moment it horned itself under the peepers of an orchardist doing business near Melbourne.

Burns was on the crest of popularity at the time and the birds whispered him a bloated bondholder. Wouldn't it be just the proper thing for some of his surplus gold to find its way into a peach orchard? So reasoned the fruit grower. He finessed the American into an auto spin. In about twenty minutes Burns was showered with a bunch of horticultural jabs and uppercuts that soon had him groggy. Finding an opening, he finally declared that the only peaches he knew anything about——

"Never mind, Mr. Burns, I know all about your love for fruit. Fame has preceded you to Australia." The interruption drove Tommy to the worries. "Now cast your eye about this beautiful peach orchard," the fruit man resumed. "If you're looking for a real bargain, here's your chance. Of course, I don't expect it is anything like your peach orchard in America——"

"Eight, nine ten," shouted the referee. He leaned over and carolled into the prostrate Burns's ear, "You're out."

It is just beginning to ooze through the Rialto that Johnny Powers is casting a yearning eye toward Charlie Pick. More power to you, Johnny, for this fellow Pick is a sweet baseball proposition. With Pick at third—gee, but it's too good to be even thought of!

Caddocks, Stechers, Lewises and Zbyszkos may come and go, but sportdom will hardly see another Frank Gotch for years to come. Frank had all Ajax's brawn and Ulysses's noodle. Gladness grows in us every time we think of the Iowan's prowess. The famous toe hold diversified him from all other modern wrestlers. In giving play to the past we can recall no matman that would have a chance with him.

Yousoff the Turk (the real Yousoff, who was drowned in the Atlantic girdled with American gold) might have ruffled him a bit, but Frank's nimbleness would have carried him over the oriental. The toe hold would have done its fell work. Yousoff was a monstrosity. He had arms on him like a woman and a preponderance of tummy—but what a back! His spinal column was a steel girder. Evans Lewis, "The Strangler," one of the sturdiest catch-as-catch-can men of all times, proved to be a toy in the Turk's embrace. Yousoff twisted him into knots.

The secret of the foreigner's success lay in his training. Nothing that T-bone Riley ever juggled with found its way into Yousoff's menu. He broke bread in the morning by consuming five dozen hard-boiled eggs washed down with five packages of cigarettes. His dinner consisted of about the same belly timber. For supper he dittoed. Now, fellow-sportsmen, just imagine Joe Stecher trying to get the scissors hold on this storehouse of cornered hen fruit.

The reprobate ball—pardon us, the spit ball—well, it's about the same thing. We often marveled how this got through the gates of the big-league rules. The sphere in its white, virgin purity snuggles into the heaver's clutches for a spell, only to emerge as black as Vulcan's stithy. In the meantime the mound man has projected part of his system onto the ball. Away it flies like an ebonized comet, is hit with a squash-like sound and caroms into the grand stand.

When picked up it looks like a spent briquette—in fact, it would make a fair companion for that commodity. When returned to the pitcher's box it has a pro-German stare—hence another coat of tar. Why give all the advantage to the hurler?

Why not let the batsman rub the stick with talcum powder before each ball is pitched? The spit ball is unfair and has nothing to commend it. If a twirler can't prevail through native ability, and has to resort to cuspidor festivities, it's about time for the powers-that-be to spring a much-needed reform in the pitching department of the national pastime.

Bob Laga, who looks after the destinies of Joe Rivers, is a stanch admirer of Fred Fulton. He is rather sanguine of Fred's licking Jack Dempsey, the California wonder. "Fred is a little bit cleverer, and punches a little bit harder, than Jack," is the way Bob sizes it up. He stands hard for Fred's being the next heavyweight champion of the world.

While Laga's keenness in the fistic sport is revered all along sportsmen's row, he is not regarded as being very mussy in the line that made Joaquin Miller famous. He tipped the mitt to this deficiency last Thursday afternoon while talking shop with Joe Rivers on Spring street. The fairies have it that a swarm of bees clustered around Rivers's lips when he was born, thus foretelling a love for the polite arts. In his leisure moments, Joe, like Freddie Welsh, indulges in Milton and Wordsworth. For the sublimities of nature he has a delicate eye.

As Bob was in the midst of a fistic monologue, the clouds suddenly lifted, giving way to Old Sol. Joe's heart fairly leaped with rapture.

"Look, look, Bob!" this from Joe, with poetic fervor. "Did you ever see a more beautiful sunburst in all your life? It's simply gorgeous."

Laga glimmed upward for a moment, then drew a quirk of scorn as he shrilled: "Hell, it don't look any different to me than any other sunburst." This was a cooling card for poor Joe. Sighing a significant "Ah, what's the use?" he soon fell away from Milton into the chilling realities of these bellicose times.

Oh, you newsies—this ought to warm the cockles of your hearts. Leach Cross and Joe Rivers are to box at your weekly exhibition next Friday night at Jack Doyle's. Of course, this is to be only a friendly clash, but the fans should be regaled. If Leach should o'erstep the bounds of decorum and grow cocky, Joe is liable to put him out of con-

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VON HERTLING TELLS NEW PLAN TO 'PEACE

Says the President's Message Must be Recognized by All the Allies.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.—Speaking before the Reichstag today the Imperial German Chancellor, Count von Hertling, made this declaration:

"I can fundamentally agree with the four principles which in President Wilson's view must be applied in a mutual exchange of views and thus declare with President Wilson that a general peace can be discussed on such a basis.

"From the beginning the Entente has pursued aims of conquest. It is fighting for the delivery of Alsace-Lorraine to France. I can add nothing to what previously has been said—there is no Alsace-Lorraine question in the international sense.

"Only one reserve need be made in this connection: These principles must not only be proposed by the President of the United States, but also must actually be recognized by all the states and people.

"But this goal has not yet been reached. There is still no court of arbitration established by all the nations for the preservation of peace in the name of justice.

"When President Wilson incidentally says that the German Chancellor is speaking to the tribunal of the entire world, I must decline this tribunal as prejudiced, joyfully as I would greet it, if an impartial court of arbitration existed and gladly as I would co-operate to realize such ideals.

"Unfortunately, however, there is no trace of similar statements on the part of the leading powers of the Entente. England's war aims are still thoroughly imperialistic and she wants to impose on the world a peace according to England's good pleasure.

"When England talks about the people's right of self-determination she does not think of applying the principle to Ireland, Egypt and India.

"It has been repeatedly said that we do not contemplate retaining Belgium, but that we must be safeguarded from the danger of a country, with which we desire after the war to live in peace and friendship, becoming the object or jumping-off ground of enemy machinations. If, therefore, a proposal came from the opposing side, for example, from the government in Havre, we should not adopt an antagonistic attitude, even though the discussion at first might only be unbinding.

"Meanwhile, I readily admit that President Wilson's message of February 11 constitutes perhaps a small step toward a mutual rapprochement."

With reference to a statement recently made by Walter Runciman, the former president of

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CHIEF OF SOLDIERS FIGHTING RUSSIANS APPEALS FOR HELP; INVASION TO RESULT

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HARBIN, Wednesday, Feb. 20.—The Japanese, according to reliable authority, intend to take action in Siberia at an early date and there are evidences that the Japanese have long been preparing to carry out this move.

The situation in Siberia is considered extremely grave, owing to the inability of the Cossack general, Semenoff, head of the anti-Bolshevik movement in that vast territory, to secure Allied support, for which he has appealed to the Japanese.

Gen. Semenoff's movement now is officially recognized, and a general committee has been formed at Harbin which will act as a general staff, divided into three departments—financial, military and administrative. The Russian Consul, M. Popoff, has been appointed chairman of the committee.

Two thousand Germans have been armed and are drilling at Irkutsk, capital of the government of Irkutsk, in Eastern Siberia, and, according to an official report received from a foreign Consul, the Germans are making all preparations to bring much larger forces there.

An official cablegram from the Japanese Naval Department was received from Tokio last night by the Japanese Daily News of this city, announcing the sinking by a Japanese cruiser of a German submarine in the Mediterranean. No other details were given.

The dispatch is regarded as significant as showing that Japanese warships still are actively supporting the Allies in European waters.

It is thought Japanese ships are assisting the American, British and French squadrons in convoy work and in watching for submarines.

Dragnet.

GERMAN WORLD PLOT TO CORNER WOOL SUPPLY IS FOILED BY AMERICA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Alleged to be an agent in the United States for German interests which have been seeking to corner the world's wool market, Eugene Schwerdt, a wealthy wool merchant of New York and Boston, was arrested here today as an enemy alien and will be interned.

Schwerdt's alleged activities were disclosed to the Federal authorities by the Attorney-General of New York State, Schwerdt's name having appeared in the correspondence of Hugo Schmidt, banker and alleged paymaster in the Bolo Pasha case, which the Attorney-General investigated.

According to Deputy Attorney-General Alfred L. Becker, Schwerdt was in correspondence with H. F. Albert, former financial agent here for the German government.

CLAIMS BELGIAN CITIZENSHIP.

Although claiming to be a Belgian citizen, Schwerdt was in fact born in Muenster, Germany. He resided in Belgium, but came to the United States in 1914 at the time of the German bombardment of Antwerp.

The plan of Schwerdt and his associates, according to the Attorney-General, was to minimize the effects of a possible British economic embargo against Germany after the war by making it possible for her interests in America to hoard their great stocks of wool which it was intended to send to Germany when peace came.

A letter made public by Mr. Becker, who conducted the inquiry, was written by Schwerdt to Albert in January, 1917. In this communication Schwerdt informed Albert of the wool situation in America and outlined plans for obtaining control of wool stocks for German consumption after the war. Mr. Becker said it was significant that in his letter Schwerdt alluded to himself as a German and to France as "the enemy."

"There can be no question," Mr. Becker said in a formal report to the State Department," that Schwerdt has considered himself a German, that his sympathies are pro-German, that he has been engaged in the wool trade in behalf of German interests and masquerading under American names, and that at the present time he is endeavoring to dissimulate his real sentiments and those of his son."

Among 40,000 papers which the Attorney-General seized from Schwerdt during the Bolo Pasha inquiry were a number of letters written by Schmidt in connection with the wool-accumulating plan. One of these, according to Mr. Becker, introduced Eugene Schwerdt, Jr., employed by Charles E. Webb, a Philadelphia wool importer, to German manufacturers' interests in South America.

The junior Schwerdt was in the Belgian aviation service at the age of 17, during the first months of the war. With this record, it was easy for him to assume pro-Ally sentiments, inasmuch as he also represented an American manufacturer in the wool business.

The original purpose of Schmidt and Schwerdt, Mr. Becker declared, was to enble Germany to obtain sufficient wool for military and industrial purposes. Two cargoes, valued together at several hundred thousand dollars, actually did get through to Germany early in the war, he said.

The war lasted longer than Schwerdt, Schmidt and their associates expected, and the British fleet drew its blockade cordon tightly. Then the scheme developed into the one of handling wool until after the war, it is charged.

Mr. Becker said that wool estimated to be worth $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 actually was stored in America. Then came a wool shortage, prices went up and the German interests decided to sell because of the profits possible. These profits reached German interests in Germany, as the wool had been purchased on their account.

The British government had organized a textile council, authorized to act as consignee for all shipments of British wool to this country. This was intended to make it certain that no wool coming here from British dominions fell into German hands in America. When the United States entered the war, America joined with England in the operation of the textile council, of which A. M. Patterson of this city is the head.

In order successfully to circumvent the restrictions imposed by the textile council, Schwerdt and his

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Russian Government Accepts German Peace Conditions, Von Hertling Tells Reichstag

The Sequel.

BOLSHEVIKI PAVE WAY FOR MONARCHY RETURN.

Despotism, Backed by Teuton Armies, Believed Plan in Russia; Kaiser's Troops Continue to Advance.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) Feb. 25.—The German forces have occupied Reval after an engagement with the Russians.

The Germans also have captured Pskov (about 160 miles southwest of Petrograd.)

This announcement is made in the official report from general headquarters tonight. The text says:

"The town and fortress of Reval were occupied at 10:30 o'clock this morning after a battle.

"Pleskov (Pskov) south of Lake Peipus, is in our hands."

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.—Count von Hertling, the German Imperial Chancellor, announced today in the Reichstag that the Russian government had accepted the German peace conditions and he added that conclusion of peace must ensue shortly.

Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, according to a dispatch from Vienna, has sent a message by wireless telegraph to Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, stating that Austria-Hungary is ready co-jointly with her allies to bring the peace negotiations with Russia to a conclusion.

PERNAU OCCUPIED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 25 (via London)—German troops have occupied Pernau, a Russian seaport in Livonia, 99 miles northeast of Riga, and Dorpat, 157 miles northeast of Riga, the German War Office announced today.

In the German advance to Dorpat 3000 Russians were taken prisoners. This flying detachment traveled 130 miles in five and one-half days.

The advance guard of Gen. Von Linsingen's troops, in the south, have reached Zhitomir, 85 miles west of Kiev.

KRYLENKO OUSTED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Gen. Brujevitch has been appointed successor to Ensign Krylenko as commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, according to a Berlin dispatch forwarded from Amsterdam by the Central News Agency. Gen. Brujevitch, according to the message, has been proclaimed dictator, and has ordered the Russian troops to fight to the last. He was formerly Chief of Staff to Ensign Krylenko.

Ensign Krylenko, the Russian commander-in-chief, was shot and slightly wounded on Saturday in Petrograd by a Socialist, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam. Krylenko's wound was in the neck. His assailant was arrested.

The report of the shooting was received in an account from German sources.

TO RESTORE MONARCHY.

Germany plans to restore the monarchy in Russia, according to a telegram dated Friday in Petrograd to the Morning Post. It says the Grand Duke of Hesse has been appointed the commander in the Riga section of the German front.

"His sister," the dispatch adds, "the former Empress Alexandra, as the guardian of her son, the former Czarevitch, is the favorite German candidate for the throne. . . . The former Emperor will not accept the throne from German hands. The Bolsheviki have provided a form of government which the Russians alone understand—pure despotism. They have paved the way for the return of the monarchy."

FIGHT TO FINISH.

If peace is not brought about the Russians will fight to a finish, Leon Trotsky, the Russian Foreign Minister, is quoted as having said, in an interview, with the Petrograd correspondence of the Exchange Telegraph Company. The interview follows:

"If we don't get a separate peace, we shall fight to the finish. We do not lose hope. We are informed from Stockholm that relations between Berlin and Vienna are strained. If we possessed an army able to fight we would start war with Germany.

"We received no reply to our inquiry to Count Csernin whether Austria considered herself in a state of war with Russia.

"Our refusal to sign peace appears to be a factor whose effects will be felt in the near future. We went over the heads of the censorship and the official falsifiers and made known to the German proletariat that the peace offered was one of annexation and spoliation, but German imperialism was strong enough at home and impudent enough to resume the offensive.

"We do not know what effect the recent events had upon the German workmen, but after the big strike movement in January, it cannot be expected that a criminal offensive will not lack consequences. We shall know how to make our war cry reach the German masses, and, despite militarism, this cry will be heard."

MISSIONS MIGHT HAVE SAVED SLAV.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—In spite of the world war, the Methodist Episcopal church will commemorate the centenary of its missionary work this year by entering upon a world programme of missionary endeavor, according to a statement here by Bishop James W. Bashford of China.

"Had our churches spent $40,000,000 in Russia during the last forty years," declared Bishop Bashford, "Russian democracy would have stood firm in the crisis brought about by the revolution and this would be worth $40,000,000 in hastening the termination of the war on principles necessary for the future security of the earth."

AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The deaths of a lieutenant and four cadets resulting from airplane accidents, were reported to the War Department today by Gen. Pershing. The dead are:

Lieut. Leland J. Hagadorn, Orleans, N. Y. Cadets Clark B. Nichol, Philadelphia; J. F. Stillman, New York City; Donald E. Carlton, Providence, R. I., and Arthur D. Wilson, Philadelphia.

The message gave no details of the accidents.

Gen. Pershing also reported that Private Ralph F. Spaulding of Madison, Me., had been killed in action February 19, that two other privates were severely wounded February 19, and one slightly wounded February 23. The severely wounded were Frank Fuss of Estherville, Iowa, and Chester A. Hunt of Rolling Prairie, Ind., and the slightly wounded was Andrew Donko, South Bethlehem, Pa.

Private Paul Crabtree of Portsmouth, O., died from wounds received in action November 21; Lieut. Thomas W. McCoy of Elkhart, Ind., died from wounds resulting from the explosion of a hand grenade, and Private George G. Clarke of Holyoke, Mass., died from accidental gunshot wounds.

Private Charles A. Johnson of Moreley, Colo., was reported accidentally drowned.

The following deaths in the American expeditionary forces from natural causes were reported today:

Privates George R. Bullard, Fort Dodge, Iowa, pneumonia; Lawrence Gookin, Charitan, Iowa, pneumonia; Hawley B. Olmstead, Taylor, Pa., pneumonia; and Newberry Holbrook, New York City, typhoid fever.

Wool Plot.

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associates were obliged to conceal the fact that purchases contracted elsewhere and consigned to the textile council were being made by German firms.

Schwerdt claims he is a Belgian in the sense that he acquired civil rights in Belgium through service in the Belgian militia. Schmidt was interned in a Georgia enemy alien camp after the Bolo Pasha disclosures.

INTERNED AS DANGEROUS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Gottels Kleibauer was interned today as a dangerous enemy alien on a Presidential warrant, it was announced today by agents of the Department of Justice here.

Kleibauer, a well-educated German, had refused to divulge to government agents the purpose of journeys he had taken between Spokane, Wash., Vancouver, B. C., Montana and points in California, the Federal authorities said.

Kleibauer was called to report to a local selective draft exemption board in Spokane at one time and refused to obey, it was said by the Federal officials.

MONEY INTERNED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Internment for the period of the war of $415,000 left by the late Ignatz Steinhart to relatives in Germany and Austria was requested today in a petition filed in the Superior Court here today by Lindley M. Garrison, former Secretary of War, representative of A. Mitchell Palmer, alien property custodian.

RUSSIA'S POSITION TOWARD THE ALLIES.

"THAT OF NEUTRAL," DECLARES SECRETARY OF THE BREST-LITOVSK DELEGATION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Sunday, Feb. 24.—M. Karakhan, who was the secretary of the Russian delegation at Brest-Litovsk, explained to the Associated Press that the Bolshevik government considers most ambiguous the part of the German terms concerning the demobilization of the Russian army. A literal translation of "up to newly-formed battalion," M. Karakhan said, "may either exempt or include the new "Red army."

"This is disputable," he added, "I think, of course, that they meant the Red army also must be demobilized, but on this we will not yield without discussion. We think we are entitled to an army on at least a peace footing. This would be sufficient to accomplish our internal purposes."

M. Karakhan declared that Russia's position toward the Allies now undoubtedly would be that of a neutral, adding: "We will not support Germany. The only support it will get will be indirect from the resumption of commercial relations."

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It is absurd to allow a cough to hang on and sap your vitality when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure you. You don't know where a persistent cough will land you. You can't afford to allow your throat and lungs to become diseased when it is such a simple thing to step into a chemist's shop and get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—[Advertisement.

Food Conservation.

"IN JEOPARDY," SAYS MERRITT.

California Food Commissioner Meets with Wholesalers.

Speculation in Grain Must Stop, He Declares.

Responsibility Charged to the Farmers Denied.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Wholesale profiteering in coarse grains was charged by Ralph P. Merritt, Federal Food Commissioner for California, in a conference with more than thirty of the State's largest wholesalers, warehousemen, commission men and grain dealers in his offices today. Mr. Merritt declared the entire conservation and production programme of the Food Administration in California had been placed in jeopardy by the "present exorbitant and unwarranted prices of milo maize, corn, Egyptian and Kaffir corn, feterita, barley and oats." Speculation, he said, was no longer in style and would not be tolerated.

George P. McNear, Petaluma grain dealer, said the prices of certain of these feedstuffs had dropped $2 a ton following Merritt's summons to the licensed feed dealers to appear before him. "If action had not been taken at this time, prices probably would have increased $2 a ton," Mr. McNear said.

In opening the investigation the food commissioner said: "The present prices of these grains are not warranted on the basis of cost to the dealer. They are exorbitant and threaten a breakdown in live stock production and are creating a state of unrest among farmers and producers. You are all under license, and the rules and regulations regarding holdings, resales within the trade and profits, must be obeyed to the letter. We are going down the line with violations which occur after today, and those that occurred before today, and after the licensing law went into effect. Licenses will be revoked and the guilty put out of business as rapidly as we discover illegal practices. We would rather see prices go down immediately than to order revocation of your permits to do business.

"When you violate the rules you help to break down the efficiency of your own requirements. We are fighting a battle for our national life and democracy, and you have got to play your part. The American business man is intrusted with the interests of the nation."

Some dealers charged that the farmers were partly responsible for the situation, declaring they were holding back for higher prices.

Mr. Merritt answered that "the farmer has been gouged so many times that he fears to unload his product. When the farmer is assured that the dealer will not take unfair profits and that all will get like treatment, this situation will remedy itself," adding that "prosecution for profiteering will be sure and speedy in the future."

Hun Funds.

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not show Humbert's reason for establishing credits in America, or why he made withdrawals and returned some of the money to France. Letters made public today show his obvious anxiety to have all his correspondence from the Morgan firm here addressed to him under the title of Senator, so that it might not be opened and examined by the French censors.

The letters show also that Morgan, Harjes & Co. introduced Humbert to the Morgan firm here as "one of the most influential members of the French Senate," and owner of Le Journal, "one of the largest and most important newspapers in France"—a man whose patronage the Paris bankers were eager to retain. The correspondent indicated Humbert was not satisfied with the 2 per cent. interest offered by the Morgan firm here, but wanted 3 per cent. No evidence was disclosed to show that the Morgan firm acceded to this demand.

GERMAN POLICE IN CONTROL IN RUSSIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Sunday, Feb. 24.—Gen. Count Mirbach, commanding the armies occupying Esthonia and Livonia, has issued a manifesto to the population declaring that they are now under German police power. He orders the release from prison of all barons of Esthonia, declaring they are under the protection of Germany. Violation of the proclamation will be punished under German laws.

NELSON MORRIS ASKS FOR ARMY EXEMPTION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Nelson Morris, chairman of the board of Morris and Company, packers, 26 years old and unmarried, has asked exemption or deferred classification of appeal board number 3, it was learned today.

No information as to his grounds was obtainable from the board. When reached by telephone, Mr. Morris declined to discuss the matter.

FIVE HUNDRED MEN TAKE ALAND ISLANDS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The Swedish force which seized the Aland Islands consists of 500 soldiers, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen reports. These troops will form a guard until the end of the war. Six hundred Finnish White Guards left the Aland Islands on Swedish steamers, which brought them to Sweden.

STEAMER KENTRA STRANDED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

SANTIAGO (Chile) Feb. 25.—The American steamer Kentra of the United States Products Company, New York, plying between New York and Chilean ports, has stranded itself," adding that "prospection for will be a total loss. The crew was rescued and part of the cargo saved.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., northwest; velocity, 10 miles. Thermometer, highest 51 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Forecast: Tuesday unsettled. Probably showers. Warmer, moderate winds mostly westerly.

For complete report see last page of part one.

CITY. The Fair Price Committee of the local Food Administration set a schedule of prices for staple articles of food.

The "Gibson kiss" became a reality when it was discovered that Hugh Gibson, noted diplomat, while here was kissed by fifty club women.

The $4,000,000 flood control programme is practically assured, declared ex-Senator Frank Flint on his return from Washington.

An increase in the price of beer was announced as a result of the Food Administration's restriction on the use of barley by brewers.

Radical changes in the traffic rules for the sake of safety were proposed by the Council Public Safety Committee.

Sierra Madre druggist in court in divorce action declared that he never hit his wife on the nose, but that he was struck first.

The wife of a Pasadena merchant filed a suit for damages against a woman and her daughter, charging that they stole her husband's affections and that his business was ruined as a result.

The new trial of Marie Pinzon Edwards on a charge of slaying Senator Lyon will be set in Judge Willis's court today.

A remarkable duel in the dark resulted in the arrest of an alleged Arizona gun man.

The committee in charge of the Y.W.C.A. drive for funds, declared that $28,000 must be raised in two days or the campaign will fail.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Ferro-Concrete Shipbuilding Corporation signs contract with Redondo Beach for the construction of big shipbuilding plant.

Earl of Dunmore is the principal speaker at meeting held at Pasadena under the auspices of the Board of Trade, whose guest he is for the day.

Shrine patrol visit Santa Ana in pilgrimage for the benefit of the Red Cross. Chanters make big hit.

Despondent German commits suicide at Visalia after leaving pathetic note to his companions.

El Monte school offers cash prizes for the best war garden cultivated by students during the year.

Southern California is again visited by a rainstorm that is general over the State, recording precipitation at points of nearly two inches.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Alleged I.W.W. plots to poison cattle and burn crops are under Federal investigation following reported confession of Federal prisoner brought to Sacramento.

Farm labor committee named by Gov. Stephens to co-operate with State Council of Defense in solving farm labor problems.

San Francisco business men dedicate selves to task of winning war; hold first of series of community luncheons to evolve plans of action.

Israel Weinberg freed of two pending murder charges by motion of prosecution; ordered to begin trial, attorney for State was unready.

Secretary Lansing and Postmaster-General Burleson may be called as witnesses at trial of alleged Hindu plotters at San Francisco.

GENERAL EASTERN. Loyalty in Wisconsin is put to test; resolution condemning La Follette for war record is presented in State Legislature and vote is demanded.

Samuel Gompers replies he is "too busy fighting the Kaiser to attend peace conference at invitation of Germans," in reply to foreign invitation.

Government news leaks to packers disclosed at trade hearing in Chicago; Federal appointees in food administration all known to packers before appointments were announced.

Forty-four survivors from wrecked Red Cross liner Florizel are taken to St. Johns, New Foundland, after rescue from beached vessel; many believed lost.

Eugene Schwerdt, wealthy wool merchant operating in New York and Boston, is interned as dangerous alien; plotted world corner of wool to prevent Allies obtaining any.

WASHINGTON. United Republican party plans to carry majority of ten or fifteen seats in next Congress; National Chairman Hays visits Washington.

Carranza forces renew fighting to gain control of Tampico oil fields; bandits attack American oil boat, kill one American, wound three and steal $50,000.

Labor slackers are nation's peril, Senator McCumber declares in Senate; Bolsheviki sentiment in America dangerous as that in Russia, he asserts.

Representatives of capital and labor confer at Washington; plan to prevent strikes during war; Secretary Wilson outlines labor policy.

Farmers' profits are not limited by Food Administration. Hoover declares in answer to widespread belief that prices will be fixed on other farm commodities.

FOREIGN. German press comments on relations between Austrian and Germany being strained following hostile attitude of Austrian newspapers in Russian affair.

Costa Rica revolution financed by pro-Germans declared at an end, with government in full control; Washington announces no change in determination not to recognize present government seated by revolt.

THE GREAT WAR. German Chancellor tells Reichstag Russia has accepted peace terms and peace must cease shortly. Germans continue to overrun country, occupying Reval, on Finnish gulf, and Pskov, on the railway, 160 miles south of Petrograd.

Since renewal of hostilities Germans have taken thousands of square miles of Russian territory and are rapidly clearing Ukraine of Bolsheviki.

On battle fronts fighting by infantry is mostly patrol encounters, but big guns have engaged in reciprocal duels on numerous sectors in France, Italy and Belgium. Americans and French together in raid along Chemin des Dames penetrated German lines and captured prisoners.

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THE DAILY HERO.

Brave Deeds of Men in America's Fighting Service.

The honor of being the first Naval Reservist to receive a medal of honor belongs to Tedford H. Cann, seaman, a crack swimmer and all around athlete, the son of the physical director of New York University. This is the third medal which the Secretary of the Navy has awarded in the present war. Cann was serving on a United States patrol vessel, the May, when the ship was found to be booded. Cann's prompt action saved the ship, though he himself risked imminent danger of drowning. Efforts were made to keep the ship afloat by pumping, but without avail. Entering a flooded compartment and finding a small leak, Cann emerged and procuring two corks returned to the compartment and closed the leak. With his brother, Howard Cann, last year's captain of the New York University football team, Tedford Cann enlisted in the Naval Reserves at Bensonhurst, L. I., last April. Cann holds the 500-yard swimming championship of America.

Peace Terms.

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the Board of Agriculture, in the British Cabinet, the Chancellor said:

"I can only agree with Mr. Runciman if he mean that we should be much nearer peace if proper responsible representatives of the belligerent powers would meet in conclave for discussion. That would be a way to remove all intentional and unintentional misunderstandings and bring about an agreement on many individual questions. I am thinking especially in this connection of Belgium."

JAPANESE APPROVE SHIP TONNAGE RULES.

AMERICA'S LICENSE OF FOREIGN TRADE ACCEPTED AS NECESSITY.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

TOKIO, Wednesday, Feb. 20.—The action of the United States in placing all foreign trade under license, for the purpose of reducing the less essential exports and imports to a minimum, caused great uneasiness at first in business circles here, especially in the silk trade.

However, the Foreign Minister, Viscount Matono, and the Vice-Foreign Minister, Kijuro Shidehara, as well as the entire metropolitan press, resolutely defended the position of the United States. They pointed out that the action of the Washington government was inspired by devotion to the issues involved in the war, comparing the patriotism and devotion of the Americans with that of the Japanese at the time of this country's war with Russia.

The Yomiuri Shimbun, which often reflects the views of the government, expresses gratification at the calmness of business circles and the absence of excitement on the stock exchange. It says all Japanese regard the action of the American government as one of the inevitable outgrowths of the present situation, and adds:

"The Japanese people should fully realize the conditions made necessary by the war and accept the necessary sacrifices."

AVIATOR IS KILLED; FATHER IN LONG BEACH

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS (Tex.) Feb. 25.—Cadet Aviator R. E. Stall of Duluth was killed today at Love Field while making his first flight alone. He had cleared telegraph wires along a railroad and had reached a height of barely sixty feet when the machine was seen to lurch to the right and left as if the aircraft was trying to overcome some difficulty. Suddenly the airplane dropped flat to the ground. It burst into flames immediately when it crashed. Cadet Stall was burned to death.

Relatives at Detroit and his father, W. H. Stall, at Long Beach, Cal., were notified.

DAILY REPORT FROM PERSHING.

Activities on American Front may be Given Out in France.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Issuance of a daily official report by General Pershing on activities at the American front in France may begin shortly. The reports probably will be given to the press at Gen. Pershing's headquarters, although the plan has not been worked out in detail as yet and Gen. Pershing's desires undoubtedly will be followed.

The war department will make public promptly, Mr. Baker indicated, the names of officers or men commended for gallant action by their commanding general.

Forcing the Issue.

LOYALTY IN WISCONSIN

Legislative War on La Follette.

Resolution of Condemnation Before State Senate; All Members to Vote.

Nation to Find if Commonwealth is as Black as the Critics Paint Her.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MADISON (Wis.) Feb. 25.—A loyalty resolution including an amendment condemning Senator La Follette for his attitude toward the war was passed by the State Senate late tonight by a vote of 26 to 3.

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Critics of the Wisconsin Senator, in attacking his attitude, read into the record La Follette's St. Paul speech and editorials printed in his magazine. A vote is expected late tonight, when the resolution will go to the lower house.

The resolution, which is an amendment to the loyalty one of the Republican caucus, reads as follows:

"The people of the State of Wisconsin always have stood and always will stand squarely behind the present war to a successful end. We condemn Senator Robert M. La Follette and all others who have failed to see the righteousness of our nation's cause and have failed to support our government in matters vital to the winning of the war. And we denounce any attitude or utterance of theirs which has tended to incite sedition among the people of our country and to injure Wisconsin's fair name before the free peoples of the earth."

La Follette was the big issue before the Senate of the Wisconsin Legislature today. The House was under a call to bring back all absent members to vote on the anti-La Follette resolution.

Senator L. P. Witter, Grand Rapids, Wis., today withdrew the Republican harmony resolution, and announced that La Folletteism has been made an issue. A defense of La Follette's war record made Saturday by Senator Haber precipitated the clash.

"If Wisconsin is as black as she is pictured; if we are as disloyal as others think we are, we shall have an opportunity to show it," said Senator Witter. "If we are disloyal the country should know and let the other forty-seven States train their guns on us until the decks have been cleared."

DAVIES ENTERS RACE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Joseph E. Davies, chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, announced today that he will resign to enter the Senatorial race in Wisconsin.

Mr. Davies is a Democrat. He is 41 years old and his home is at Madison. The position which he resigns pays $10,000 and is regarded as virtually a life position.

LENROOT ALSO MAY RUN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Representative Irvine L. Lenroot, Republican, of Wisconsin, today announced he had permitted friends to go ahead with the formalities necessary to his nomination for the United States Senatorship next Friday, but had stipulated his action was with the reservation that he would not make final decision until that day.

BERGER SOCIALIST CHOICE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 25.—Victor L. Berger was selected today by the Socialist State Executive Committee as the candidate of that party for United States Senator.

BRIDGES DESTROYED NORTH OF MINSK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Sunday, Feb. 24.—The issuance of war reports was begun today, the following communication being given out:

"Socialist defensive front: In the region of Borisoff (45 miles northeast of Minsk), the detachment was sent to destroy bridges. Borisoff and Plotsk are in the hands of the Russian forces.

"Hapsal and Venden have been taken by the Germans, who fought a battle with a Lettish detachment. The station at Korsovsk and the town of Ostroy have been occupied by the Germans. Poles are advancing from Mohilev towards Bobruisk, but often the troops take to flight in large bodies.

"According to reports from Arinsburg, 20,000 German troops refused to attack."

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OBITUARY.

Sir Henry Blake.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 25.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa agency.) Sir Henry Blake died yesterday at his residence, Myrtle Grove, Youghal, County Cork, Ireland.

The Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Arthur Blake, C.C.M.G., was Governor of Newfoundland in 1877-81. He was Governor of the Bahamas for the preceding four years. He also was Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of Jamaica from 1889 to 1897. He was Governor of Hongkong in 1897-1903 and Governor of Ceylon, 1903-1907. He was born in Limerick, Ireland, seventy-seven years ago.

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CANADIAN PREMIER'S PNEUMONIA VICTIM

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CALGARY (Alberta,) Feb. 25.—Physicians today announced that Premier Brewster of British Columbia, who is in a hospital here, suffering from pneumonia, passed a good night and was resting easily.

The Premier was taken from his train here yesterday while en route to Victoria from Ottawa.

'Tis Well to Remember

That this store is sufficient variety at all times to meet your seasonal needs. The weather finds us stocked with apparel — overcoats in cravenettes, materials, gabardines, rubberized coats, oiled coats and hats to match, good warm underwear, storm cloth hats, mackinaws, corduroy coats and trousers, leather boots and rubbers, woolen hose, sweaters, coats and underwear.

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Sport O'Malley.

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colt with himself. Then, of course, would follow a few thrills of ye old pavilion days. Be that as it may, the spectators are sure to witness a clever bout at ficticuffs.

Jack Ryan fairly bubbles over with praises for Jack Bromley. He claims that Bromley is the most improved pitcher he has run up with in many moons. "He's a find," said Ryan to Tom Darmody last Saturday afternoon at Oldfield's. "Grab him, Tom, and grab him quick, for he'll outpitch any man you have on your staff. He's a left-hander with fine control, and you know any left-hander of this kind is a sure winner. He has a fast drop, plenty of speed and a good change of pace. I've often seen him pitch in Arizona and know what I'm talking about."

"Don't doubt you, Jack," was Darmody's laconic reply, "but I've only one alibi nowadays—see Essick. It's all up to him."

Fitz, John L. and Terry—three of the world's greatest fighters gathered in by the grim reaper in a few short months. Fistiana probably never again will see their equals. All boxing whirlwinds in their early careers. We shall not perform the invidious task of saying who, of the trio, was the best. We make bold to declare, however, that for many years to come their fistic deeds will be regarded with admiring despair by their emulators.

Jerry Downs is again to be in the lookout chair for the Seals. Jerry has never planted himself in our eyes as a great playing manager. He is a little to the leeway in the aggressive line. Yet, be it said, he delivered the goods, and that is the bank roll in the safety deposit box nowadays. When it comes to feeling that Jerry and his cohorts will finish better than third this year, our mind runs adrift.

Without Fitz in the right garden, the champions should be playing a sort of an eight-man combination. In a way, the Friscoes were a one-man team in 1917. Any time Justin and his war club were missing, the Berryites seemed to play a sort of a listless game. We are skeptical that Jerry will be able to re-Fitz his nine—hence our prediction.

"THE TIMES" DAY BY DAY CIRCULATION GAINS.

Gains, gains, gains from all over the Southland are added to The Times' circulation week after week, for daily and Sunday. Following are the latest day-by-day figures as compared with last year:

				Gain.
February 19, 1917..	65,992	February 18, 1918..	77,997	12,005
February 20, 1917..	65,992	February 19, 1918..	75,901	9,909
February 21, 1917..	65,920	February 20, 1918..	75,837	9,917
February 22, 1917..	66,282	February 21, 1918..	76,323	10,041
February 23, 1917..	66,011	February 22, 1918..	75,710	9,699
February 24, 1917..	68,220	February 23, 1918..	76,802	10,582
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CABINET MEN MAY TESTIFY.

Lansing and Burleson to be Called in Hindu Trial.

William Jennings Bryan Also Mentioned for Witness.

"British Rule in India," His Book, in Evidence.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Two members of President Wilson's Cabinet, a former Secretary of State, Rabindranath Tagore, renowned Indian poet and literateur, will be summoned to testify for the defense when thirty-one persons charged with conspiring to foment revolution against British rule in India, it was announced today by Ram Chandra, a fellow Hindu defendant.

The Cabinet members are Secretary of State Lansing and Postmaster-General Burleson. The former Secretary of State is William Jennings Bryan. There is some question as to whether Cabinet officers can be subpoenaed, but every effort will be made to obtain the depositions, Chandra said.

WANT ACQUITTAL.

An instructed verdict of not guilty will be requested on behalf of four of the defendants on conclusion of the prosecution's case, it was announced today by A. P. Black, of counsel for the defendants. The others named are J. Clyde Hizar, San Diego attorney; Bernard Manning, a San Diego real estate appraiser and former employee of the internal revenue office; Captain Edwin Delnat, master of the Hamburg-American steamer Kamloops, and Captain Heinrich Ahlers, of the German steamer, O. Ahlers.

Black said the motion would be based on the ground that the conspiracy had established no connection between these four defendants and the conspiracy and that a conspirator, to be found guilty, must have knowledge of the conspiracy.

Rabindranath Tagore, winner of the Nobel prize for literature in 1913, and recognized as the intellectual leader of his race, is in Japan, but Chandra said the defense would undoubtedly would make every effort to come here to testify. It was expected Tagore would be questioned concerning difficulties he encountered on a visit to San Francisco some time ago, when he was compelled a bodyguard as a result of alleged threats on his life by Hindu revolutionists. No Hindu was permitted to see him while he was here. In Chicago, members of the anti-British Hindu revolutionary party refused in interviewing him. They feared him they had made no attempt upon his life, that they were in sympathy with the ideas expressed in his writings. It was reported he was apologized for requesting a guard while here.

HIGH OFFICIALS.

Secretary Lansing, Postmaster-General Burleson and former Secretary Bryan would be called, Chandra said in an effort to show that no conspiracy has been established between the alleged conspiracy and the German government, and that the United States Department has no information of any alleged conspiracy against revolution in India.

The defense, Chandra said, expected Secretary Lansing would tell of the circumstances which led to the publication last March of an official to the effect that the British government had asked the United States for an indemnity of $1,000,000 because of the growth in this country of the alleged conspiracy. Secretary Lansing was reported to have told the British government that the revolutionary movement here had been effectually suppressed and that the revolutionary junta in Berlin had been broken up.

Postmaster-General Burleson, it was stated, would be asked for the reasons which led to the exclusion some time ago from the Oriental mails of the "Ghadr" (Revolution) the organ of the "Ghadr" party, which is charged with being the source of the alleged conspiracy.

Former Secretary Bryan will be asked concerning his book, "British Rule in India," portions of which have been introduced as evidence at the trial.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Storms Reported General Over the Eastern States—Colder Temperatures are Rule.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Chicago had all the prescription called for in the way of bad weather today—rain, sleet, snow, a twenty-mile west wind and a threat of more snow and colder weather. Maximum temperature was 51 deg., falling to 32 deg. tonight. Storms prevailed over all the East Central States and five of the West Central group. Eastern and Southern States were also visited by heavy storms and no communication is had with numerous points east and south tonight.

Temperatures generally yesterday as reported by the United States Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were as follows:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	56	26	Pittsburgh	38	26
Boise	38	22	Pomona	*68	48
Bonita	*63	53	Portland, Or.	48	34
Boston	32	40	Rapid City	38	16
Buffalo	30	34	Red Bluff	64	42
Corona	*67	49	Redlands	*66	50
Denver	48	20	Riverside	*68	50
Des Moines	32	46	Roseburg	52	32
Dodge City	44	46	Roswell	76	34
Escondido	*62	52	St. Louis	66	30
Eureka	50	32	St. Paul	38	24
Flagstaff	52	34	Sacramento	62	40
Fresno	54	40	Salt Lake City	34	22
Galveston	74	62	Santa Barbara	*52	48
Havre	28	8	San Bernardino	*68	40
Helena	36	8	San Diego	62	54
Hoffman	36	22	San Fernando	*63	34
Independence	54	34	San Francisco	64	46
Kamloops	16	8	San Luis Obispo	48	46
Kansas City	52	32	Seattle	52	32
Knoxville	74	52	Spokane	36	24
Los Angeles	61	40	Tampa	76	62
Memphis	60	42	Tonopah	36	16
Modena	38	24	Tucson	80	50
Mt. Wilson	*40	30	Tustin	*64	48
Needles	70	44	Washington	40	26
New Orleans	82	66	Winnemucca	34	6
New York	56	42	Winnipeg	10	-4
North Head	46	38	Yuma	76	54
Oklahoma	74	64			
Pasadena	*62	42	*Previous day.		
Phoenix	74	56	Below zero.		

UNFRIENDLY AUSTRIAN PRESS VEXES BERLIN.

GERMAN DECLARE RELATIONS BETWEEN NATIONS ARE STRAINED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.—The German papers comment on the relations between Germany and Austria, which apparently are becoming quite strained.

The Tages Zeitung contrasts the abuse of Germany in Austria in connection with the Ukrainian treaty with the praise bestowed on Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister.

The paper tries to discover the motives of the Vienna official news agency in publishing the Polish manifesto reflecting upon Germany, which has given great offense, and comes to the conclusion that the Austrian censorship by its attitude all along has failed to show appreciation of Germany's interest, adding:

"It is time that we point out most emphatically how such incidents are endangering the friendly relations between the two countries."

The Hamburger Nachrichten says: "The present attitude of certain Austrian newspapers is decidedly not calculated to make the feeling in Germany toward Austria any more friendly."

TEN THOUSAND DIE IN CHINESE QUAKE.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMOY (China) Feb. 25.—Nearly 10,000 persons lost their lives as a result of the recent earthquake in the Amoy hinterland, according to the latest reports from Swatow.

Determined.

CARRANZA RENEWS FIGHT FOR TAMPICO OIL-FIELD.

One American Killed and Three Wounded in Battle with Bandits.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—One American was killed and three wounded in an attack by Mexican bandits on an oil boat at Tampico last Wednesday.

Edward House, a paymaster for the Texas Oil Company, was killed. The wounded were J. P. S. Mennett, Dr. Brisbane, an employee of the Island Oil and Transport Company, and a third man named Prather. Mennett's wound is serious.

Efforts to retake the oil fields about Tampico from Manuel Palaez have been resumed by the Carranza troops, with some success. Gen. Dieguez, commanding the government forces, has driven the Palaez forces from the country about the Cerro Azul, one of the largest oil wells of the Huasteca company. Saladera, a small town on the edge of the oil region, has been captured.

Unofficial advices reaching here today said the bandits got as much as $20,000 from the American paymaster and that the Americans defended themselves vigorously, wounding five of the Mexicans. The affray, these advices said, might result more seriously than supposed, possibly in the withdrawal of the Americans.

The same advices said that in other depredations on Americans last Friday $5000 was taken from the cashier of an American company and that the American company's commissary at San Geronimo had been rifled and something less than $500 taken.

Both Carranza and rebel troops are in the vicinity.

Officials, however, regarded the incident as a case of robbery rather than an outburst of anti-American feeling. The boat attacked was carrying money probably in the Panuco River or one of the inland lagoons. So far as known the bandits were not connected with any of the military forces. The government has called the incident to the attention of the Mexican government.

BLAMES I.W.W.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The local Mexican Consul said today he recently had reports of trouble between Mexicans and members of the I.W.W. from the United States, who had established branches in the Tampico oil fields, but had no advices during the last few days.

WIRELESS TELLS OF TROUBLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—Sherard Brisbane, secretary of the Louisiana Conservation Commission yesterday received a wireless message from his father, Dr. H. P. Brisbane, which, he said, indicated there was trouble in Tampico.

The wireless, according to Mr. Brisbane, was sent from an American naval vessel at Tampico and said in part: "I am all right; don't worry. Will write details later."

At Hard Labor.

INTERNED GERMANS' BOMB PLOT FOILED BY GUARDS.

High Explosives Found at Fort Douglas; Delivery Believed Planned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 25.—Further evidence of what is believed to have been a plot on the part of the German civilian prisoners in the war prison at Fort Douglas to kill the officers and guards of the prison company and to consummate a delivery of the aliens through the use of high-explosive hand grenades, came to light today when another bomb was discovered in the compound.

The bomb found today was the second discovered at the fort within forty-eight hours.

Prison officials at once began an exhaustive search of the entire prison and grounds on the theory that other explosives had been prepared and "planted" for use in a general prison break.

BOMBS SIMILAR.

According to Col. George L. Byram, commandant of the prison, the bomb was equipped with an ignition fuse similar to the one attached to the bomb discovered Saturday.

A feature of the discovery of the second bomb is that it was found by one of the German civilian prisoners and reported to a guard. The bomb was hidden from view by several large copper kettles used by the prisoners for boiling clothes. The prisoner moved one of the kettles and in doing so upset a pile of bricks upon which it stood.

PRISONER SCARED.

The bomb rolled on the ground, and the prisoner, shrieking with terror, ran to a guard, who removed the bomb to the office of the commandant. An examination showed the missile to have been made even more cleverly than the one found Saturday.

Prison officials expressed the belief that the bombs were intended to be used as hand grenades against guards or officers who might block the way of escaping prisoners. Mystery prevails as to how any prisoner could construct such a bomb, especially after a searching investigation conducted with the finding of one Saturday.

ENEMY ALIENS DISCHARGED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP LEWIS (Tacoma) Feb. 25.—Twenty-six enemy aliens were discharged today at Camp Lewis. The process of weeding out the enemy aliens is going forward with dispatch.

Rumanian soldiers at Camp Lewis will be separated in the future from soldiers of Hungarian and Magyar birth. The reason is that nearly every time these soldiers get together there results a quarrel and sometimes a fight growing out of ancient racial antipathy.

The War Department has asked that the commanders of other army camps follow this same procedure.

SOLDIER JAILED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 25.—Tried by military court-martial at Camp Kearny, Private Joseph Raljavick of Battery A, One Hundred and Forty-third Field Artillery, has been convicted and sentenced to dishonorable discharge from the army, forfeiture of all pay, and a term of three years imprisonment at hard labor, at the military prison at Alcatraz Island, it was announced today. Raljavick was charged with using disrespectful language toward President Wilson and with remarks to comrades showing disloyalty to the army.

TO INTERN SOLDIERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP GREEN (Charlotte, N. C.) Feb. 25.—One Hundred and fifty-seven soldiers—mostly Germans and Austrians—have been taken from army units here. Some will be interned and other assigned to troops which will not have service overseas. Some are old men in the service and other recent volunteers.

They come from almost every State.

Capsized Crew Rescued.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The crew of the Union Lumber Company schooner Noyo, reported capsized near Elk, on striking a submerged rock last Saturday, was in port here today after being taken from lifeboats by the steamer Helen P. Drew. An effort will be made to tow the Noyo into port, according to officials of the lumber company. The Noyo, Capt. Jacobsen, left Fort Bragg Saturday with a cargo of lumber for San Francisco.

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Senator McCumber Warns of Unionized Foes Within.

Profiteers by War as Well Called Our Bolsheviki.

"America Faces Defeat if Conditions be Unchanged."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Denouncing the Bolshevik surrender to Germany, Senator McCumber, Republican, of North Dakota, told the Senate today that a "Bolsheviki" sentiment in America was of no less danger to the cause of democracy against autocracy. Profiteers, labor slackers and government officials who fail to stand against them were assailed by the Senator in vigorous terms.

Unless conditions change, the Senator declared, only a collapse of the Central Powers can save the Allies from defeat. The Senator began with a denunciation of the Bolshevik surrender.

"DAMNABLE TREACHERY."

"Search the world's history," declared Senator McCumber, "and nothing can be found even to approach this most damnable treachery to the faithful and bleeding Allies—this blackest treason to country and national honor. This ignominous surrender under Bolsheviki reign, let every Russian patriot for a thousand years wear branded on his check the blush of shame.

"With this spectacle of national impotency and disgrace before you and enlightened by the appalling conditions in our shipyards, is it not about time we were turning our attention to the Bolshevik doctrine of those in our own country who are paralyzing the arms of the government and imperiling the lives of our soldiers in France?

BOLSHEVIKI HERE.

"So too, we have seen the effect of this Bolshevik sentiment, more, still more, always more, regardless of justice, regardless of patriotic duty, in the shameful delay in ship construction on which the very life of a great world principle depends and we are told that all munition plants, every line of industry upon which the life of the government depends, will soon be reduced to the same condition of impotency as the shipbuilding programme.

"The time has arrived for the American people to accept this challenge.

"While this Bolshevik cancer, which is sapping our strength and jeopardizing our safety is not confined to any one class, it nevertheless manifests itself in its most malignant form in supply profiteering and in labor profiteering in our shipyards."

SUPPLY PROFITEERING.

Of supply profiteering, Senator McCumber said, he would name only one shipyard, Hog Island. The foundation of that yard, he said, "is laid on graft" and the cost of construction, he said, "will be three or four times the government's original estimate," adding, "This single holdup of the government will probably cost no less than $30,000,000."

"Like conditions prevail," he continued, "throughout the country, wherever speeding up production has become necessary. Contracts of the most atrocious character, always against the government, have been OK'd by government officials. The government pays every dollar of expense for raw materials and yet pays individuals enormous profits. Men who never saw a shipyard, men who had no capital, have been given contracts to build ships and they in turn have contracted to sublet these contracts to others, retaining big commissions. Banks have charged immense bonuses for securing contracts for their customers and all this within the knowledge of, or easily obtainable by government officials."

LABOR SLACKING.

Despite the fact the nation needs ships as never before in order to transport troops and supplies abroad, and "notwithstanding the patriotic fervor of Gompers's union, labor in our shipyards is slacking in a most shameful and disgraceful manner," the Senator declared.

"Just how long the American people will submit to being robbed first by the material men, then by the labor, and then by having both robberies encouraged and acquiesced in by the government, the Lord only knows. If the country is being robbed, it is the fault of the officials in charge, and not because of lack of power to prevent it."

Senator McCumber estimated there were 6,500,000 men between the ages of 18 and 62 in this country doing practically nothing; but yet "soldiers are compelled to die for these men."

UP TO CONGRESS, TOO.

"When we send men to France, and then all of these remaining at home to receive either enormous wages for labor, which they do not perform, or enormous profits on goods furnished, thereby delaying and hindering the government in its efforts to speed up construction, the death of every soldier by reason of this delay is chargeable not alone to the slackers and idlers, but to members of Congress as well."

Senator McCumber diverted from his prepared speech to say that on a visit to a cantonment construction camp last summer he found workmen received double pay for Sunday and laid off Monday. He declared that construction of cantonments could have been performed by West Point graduates with ten times as much efficiency and with less expense than by the contract system.

GALLINGER INTERRUPTS.

Senator Gallinger interrupted to refer to a recent investigation on his own responsibility, which convinced him he said, that there had been criminal waste of money in most of the construction work.

When Senator McCumber read from scientific journals saying Congress had done its part and that the labor unions alone had failed to do their share, Senator Hollis of New Hampshire, hotly denounced the references to the labor unions. Senator Hollis declared that Senator McCumber's address was "a general indictment of this country and the people."

"If I believed that labor was unpatriotic," said Senator Hollis, "I'd make peace with the Kaiser immediately on the best terms I could get. It's no way to make labor satisfied to call them names—to call them Bolsheviks."

Senator Gallinger said an indictment had been returned and would be sure to be given due consideration by the President, the head of the government departments and by the people, who will be compelled to pay the taxes.

Senator Phelan of California deplored Senator McCumber's speech. He praised the administration for what it had accomplished in the prosecution of the war and declared there was no man more desirous of stamping out profiteering or anything else that would deter the government in accomplishing its end than President Wilson.

Continuing Senator McCumber declared that if President Wilson were able to secure a victory resulting in the adoption of his fourteen articles of peace, he would have earned the right to the Presidency as many times as desired. "As strong a Republican as I am, I want it understood that I am with the President in conduct of this war and politics will not interfere with my patriotic duty to help him accomplish that," he said.

WANTS I. W. W'S. BANISHED.

Senator Phelan was mistaken, he thought, in apparently believing his remarks were against all labor. "I want unionism to get rid of I. W. W. traitors," said Senator McCumber. "They have no country, no policies, except of destruction. They are the slackers. We want to stand with Mr. Gompers in securing loyal cooperation of labor. The government and people will be back of President Wilson of he insists that men in the shipyards do an honest day's work."

MORE AMERICANS ON ITALIAN FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Feb. 25.—American Ambassador Page gave a dinner Saturday night in honor of Col. Swift of the American military mission. The guests included Gen. Alfieri, Minister of War, and the Marquis Borsarelli, Undersecretary of the Foreign Office.

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At this season of the year many people are suffering from the effects of an attack of the grip, or influenza, or from being shut up in badly ventilated houses and offices all winter. The cause of the debilitated condition is the run-down state of the blood which all physicians recognize as a common condition following the grip and fevers. Until the blood is built up there can be no complete recovery of strength and health. In fact the thin blood often results in a lack of nutrition of the nerves that produces a form of nervous trouble called by medical writers "post grippal neurasthenia," or neurasthenia following an attack of the grip. Such a condition is described by Mrs. Jennie Cruikshank of No. 517 North Barclay street, Waterloo, Iowa. She says:

"The grip left me without any vitality whatever. I was weak, had no ambition and was generally rundown. I had no color at all and was wasted away to a mere shadow of my former self. I was reduced in weight from 135 to 106 pounds. My lips were purple. I had severe pains over my eyes and in my left side. My appetite was poor and I was frequently confined to bed for two or three days or more.

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Southern California Rainfall for Storm.

The following table gives the total precipitation for the storm, for the season and at this date last year, at points named below:

Stations—	Storm.	Season.	Last year.
Los Angeles	1.21	6.97	14.27
Bonita	.10	3.47	9.49
Corona	.17	3.86	11.45
Escondido	.18	5.86	12.50
Mt. Wilson	1.33	13.86	22.93
Pasadena	.74	8.65	17.42
Pomona	.70	6.77	13.54
Redlands	.11	3.74	11.19
Riverside	1.92	2.90	8.22
Glendora	1.11	8.00	16.07
San Bernardino	.13	3.95	12.57
San Fernando	.80	7.54	18.23
Tustin	.44	4.32	9.91
Puente	.85	7.82	10.09
Long Beach	.57	4.52	11.62
Los Angeles Harbor	.40	3.76	11.03
Santa Monica	1.13	8.60	14.36
Venice	.99	7.83	14.81
Santa Barbara	1.35	11.10	16.85
Santa Maria	1.10	12.05	16.75
Carpinteria	1.20	11.00	15.06
Lompoc	1.05	12.04	17.00
Goleta	1.04	11.29	15.80
San Diego	.14	3.38	6.72
Cuyamaca	.07	....	12.10
El Cajon	.08	....	5.64
Grossmont	.13	....	3.62
Pamo	.08	....	6.93
Oxnard	.53	6.40	13.69
Ontario	.38	6.08	10.03
Upland	.54	6.37	11.05

Through Laguna Dam.

IMPERIAL VALLEY MAY GET COLORADO'S WATER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 25.—Imperial Valley will probably work out an agreement here to take water from the Colorado River through the Laguna dam. Some points are not yet settled, notably that of priority of water rights and the ownership of the electric power that may be generated from the dam project.

Imperial Valley interests will assume $1,600,000 of the indebtedness of the Laguna dam cost; they will pay the cost of enlarging the canal and headworks necessary to give them the necessary water, and the upkeep will be assessed on the acreage basis as in the Yuma project, a part of which the Laguna dam is at the present time.

Several conferences have been held here and it is believed that all parties in interest will ultimately agree.

If the Imperial ranchers are willing to buy the surplus water from the Yuma project, it can be done without new legislation, for it is authorized under what is known as the Warren Act. This, however, gives to the Yuma project the right to get the water first, and this the Imperial Valley people are seeking to avoid. If it cannot be arranged for California and Arizona in the districts involved will undertake necessary legislation to carry out an agreement, but will do nothing until the Imperial and Yuma people agree on a definite plan.

In this connection, the Interior Department has secured the consent of the Imperial people to pay their pro-rata cost to a great flood water storage reservoir on the Colorado River near Los Vegas, Nev.

FIVE INJURED WHEN AUTO STRIKES CAR.

HAS SIDE CURTAINS ON AND DRIVER OF MACHINE FAILS TO SEE TROLLEY.

Five persons were injured late last night when the automobile driven by R. W. Williams, of No. 910 Diamond street, skidded directly into the path of a street car at Fifty-fourth and Figueroa streets.

In the Williams automobile, in addition to the driver, were his wife, Mrs. Esther Williams, and three children, Iola, 9 months old; Marion, 4 years old, and Edith, 7 years old. With the impact of the collision wrecked the front end of the auto and threw some of the occupants through the windshield of the car. Williams was cut around the head; Mrs. Williams received lacerations of the head and possible internal injuries; the youngest child was cut by the glass, but is not believed to be seriously hurt, while the other two suffered cuts and bruises.

According to Mr. Williams, he looked through the side curtains, but could see no car in sight. Just as he was about to cross the tracks, the car came into view, Mr. Williams said. The brakes failed to hold, and the little vehicle slid right in front of the street car, No. 913 of the Main and Moneta-avenue line, in charge of Conductor Fletcher and Motorman Watson.

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SURVIVORS ARE RESCUED FROM RED CROSS LINER.

Coast Sailors Brave the Angry Ocean to Reach Imperiled Ship.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Seventeen passengers and twenty-seven members of the crew of the Red Cross Line steamship Florizel, wrecked near Cape Race, have been taken off by rescue ships. They are the sole survivors out of the 136 on board when the ship struck the rocks. The Florizel carried seventy-seven passengers and a crew of fifty-nine, according to official advices received here by Bowring & Co., agents of the line. If these figures are correct the death list would stand at ninety-two. The complete list of surviving passengers made public here tonight follows:

Alex Ledingham, Miss Kitty Cantwell, Ralph Burnham, J. P. Kleyl, W. N. Dauphtnee, Maj. Sullivan, William Parminner, Arch Gardner, William Dodd, J. C. Sparrow, David Griffith, Thomas Whalen, Minnie Denieff, A. G. Fagan, G. Maloney, John Cleary and Joseph Clockley.

THREE RESCUE SHIPS.

ST. JOHN'S (N. F.) Feb. 25.—Forty-three persons aboard the Red Cross liner Florizel, wrecked near Cape Race in a storm early yesterday, were rescued today. Three rescue ships brought the first batch of survivors to port, and others were on the way in the afternoon.

The rescued ones cannot be landed at Broad Cove, but are being brought here. They are known to include the captain, chief officer, three of the crew and one seaman.

The coastal steamer Prospero was reported just before noon as on her way here with the survivors.

SUFFER FROM COLD.

The first survivors were taken off in three lifeboats and four dories, but the sea was so rough that they were unable to approach the shore, near which the Florizel struck. All had suffered terribly from cold and exposure. Steamers met the boats and took the rescued aboard. A wireless message from the Prospero to John Crosbie, Minister of Shipping, today was the first word of hope that any of the seventy-seven passengers and crew of sixty-nine had been saved. The Prospero reported that every effort was being made to transfer them from the battered hulk.

The Prospero, a stanch coasting vessel, had been dispatched at the first report of the disaster from Placentia Bay, seventy-five miles around the coast from Broad Cove, but after her departure government authorities felt that her task was hopeless. With the sealing ships Terra Nova and Home she stood outside the cove while reports were sent by observers on land that the sea had not sufficiently subsided to allow the launching of boats before daylight.

LINE SHOT ABOARD.

When naval gunners had shot a line from the shore across the bow of the Florizel as she lay submerged from her funnel aft and saw no attempt on the ship to make the line fast, it was believed all those on board were dead. About midnight, however, watchers reported that lights had been seen in the wireless room and the forecastle, showing some persons were still alive. Later came the message from the Prospero reporting she was alongside the Florizel and expected soon to take off the survivors.

Forcing his ship against a blizzard in which blinding snow was driven by winds often reaching hurricane proportions, the Florizel's commander, Capt. W. J. Martin, yesterday morning sought to round Cape Race on his voyage from here to Halifax and New York.

Apparently, however, he misjudged his position, for the Florizel rushed on the ragged rocks of Broad Cove on the east side of the island, north of the cape. The region is uninhabited and means of rescue were not available. One wireless message said the steamer was rapidly breaking up, and nothing more was heard until rescue parties reached the scene. These reported boats could not be used and expressed doubt if any on board could be saved. Through the day reports came that the ship was going to pieces and that her after decks were submerged.

The Florizel, queen of the Newfoundland boats, was owned by the New York, Newfoundland and Halifax Steamship Company, known as the Red Cross Line. Built in 1908 at Glasgow, with sloping sheathed bow, reinforced by concrete, she had been used in the sealing trade and this winter had done heroic service as an icebreaker in New York Harbor.

RESCUERS BRAVE WAVES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. JOHNS (N. F.) Feb. 25.—Boat crews from the Newfoundland steamer Prospero, braving the breakers which are battering the wreck of the Red Cross liner Florizel on the ledges north of Cape Race, today took off forty-four survivors, all that were left alive of the ship's company of 136. The death list stands at ninety-two. Of the rescued seventeen are passengers. Only two of the twelve women on board, and none of the four children were saved.

Capt. J. Martin of the Florizel and Maj. Michael Sullivan of the Newfoundland Forestry Battalion, and Ralph Burnham, Royal Flying Corps cadet, were among the rescued.

The Florizel, impaled on a rock and surrounded by half-submerged ledges, lay 900 feet from shore. Between her half-submerged hulk and the cliffs the water was white with an almost unbroken swirl of breakers, making it impossible to send out lifeboats. A detachment of naval gunners managed to shoot a line aboard the steamer last night, but those on board could not make it fast, as the forepart of the steamer was continually buffeted by huge seas, the aftermath of yesterday's blizzard.

In the sea-washed forecastle and in the forerigging the survivors huddled helplessly. Outside the ring of surf lay a fleet of rescue steamers, including the Prospero, which had been sent by the government to the scene with special life-saving apparatus.

Although the sea had moderated somewhat, it looked like a foolhardy attempt at rescue. Volunteers, however, went over the side of the Prospero in three surf boats and four dories.

Shooting the breakers with great daring, the flotilla worked under the lee of the Florizel and helped the two women and the forty-two men into the boats. It was suicidal to attempt to make a landing under the cliffs, and the return trip, with crowded boats, was accomplished amid grave perils.

But not one bit behind the surf boats were the dingy dories of the fishermen. They were handled by especially-picked dorymen, who knew every trick of their trade, and had the sinews, skill and stamina necessary for the job, and the dorymen placed their human freight aboard the rescue fleet without the loss of a man or a single mishap.

After making sure that no one was left alive on the wrecked liner, the fleet put about and headed for St. Johns.

A radio message from one of the ships announced that John Shannon Munn, managing director of Bowring Bros., Ltd., owners of the ship, with his 3-year-old daughter, Betty, and the child's nurse, were among the first to be swept overboard. They had rushed up from below as the Florizel struck the rocks.

HEAVY RAIN FALLS NEAR BAKERSFIELD

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 25.—Over an inch of rain has fallen here in the past thirty-six hours. A light drizzle started early Sunday morning and the steady fall, which it developed into, has been keeping up all yesterday and today without any sign of a let-up. Motorists from outlying districts say that the grass is springing up and the farmers are jubilant over the prospects for this year's crops.

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REDONDO BEACH GETS SHIPBUILDING PLANT.

Company Signs Contract—Operations are to Begin Immediately.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 25.—A concrete shipbuilding industry is now an assured fact for Redondo Beach and Hermosa Beach. A tentative agreement has been reached between the officials of the Ferro-Concrete Shipbuilding Corporation and the Trustees of Redondo Beach and Hermosa Beach. The tentative agreement, to be amended at a later date by a definite contract, was signed by the officials of the company and the Trustees of Redondo Beach at the close of their meeting tonight. A definitive contract will also be signed by the shipbuilding company's officials and the Trustees of Hermosa Beach at the close of the meeting of the Hermosa Beach Trustees tonight. The shipbuilding company expects to start work on the plant on Wednesday.

PROMPT ACTION.

Because of the necessity for speed the Trustees decided to act promptly on the expenditure of the $300,000 bonds which were voted on July 9, 1917, for harbor purposes, and will not call an election to decide whether to use this money for the purpose. Enough expressions by leading citizens have already been heard to convince them that the people of Redondo Beach are unanimously in favor of using the money for such a purpose.

According to the agreement made between Redondo Beach and the shipbuilding company the city will purchase the site for the company and the site will be on Redondo Beach land. This site reaches from Fourth street, running northerly to the city limits and as far back as Catalina avenue. The property of the Pacific Light and Power Company will not be included in the company's site.

Hermosa Beach will purchase the land from the southern city limits of that city as far as Second street as part of the company's site, also running back the same distance. The site will therefore be about 3000 feet along the water front and 400 feet in depth. The breakwater will start from Fourth street, Hermosa Beach and run southerly along the shore line, extending about 1000 feet from shore. Each city will pay for the breakwater in its own waters. Redondo Beach will build a bulkhead about 100 feet from the shore as will also Hermosa Beach and dredge between the breakwater and bulkhead. The extent of the work done by both cities is limited by the $300,000 bond issue of Redondo Beach and the $100,000 bond issue of Hermosa Beach. Whatever further dredging or work is required to complete the harbor improvement will be furnished by the shipbuilding company.

FORTY-YEAR LEASE.

The shipbuilding company will have a lease of their site for a period of forty years at the nominal rental of $1 per year. At the expiration of this time the land, together with all harbor improvements, reverts back to the city. If shipbuilding activities should cease at any time for a period of six months the cities have the option to terminate the contract. Only actual machinery and equipment of the company can be removed at any time the company desires to move their plant.

APPRAISERS BEGIN.

The land for the shipbuilding site will be taken by the shipbuilding company at once under the war emergency measure, it has been stated. A board of appraisers will commence work on appraising the land tomorrow. The tracks of the Pacific Electric Company on Hermosa avenue will have to be removed to Railroad avenue.

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I am selling millions of bottles of Dodson's Liver Tone to people who have found that this pleasant, vegetable liver medicine takes the place of dangerous calomel. Buy one bottle on my sound, reliable guarantee. Ask your druggist about me.

DEAN HUNT URGES GREATER PRODUCTION

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 25.—"Farm or fight" should be the slogan of the ranch property owners of California, said Dean Hunt of the University of California, addressing a mass meeting called at the Civic Auditorium here by the Farm Bureau of Tulare county.

Dean Hunt declared that only a small fraction of the tillable land has been put to productive use, and says that Canada, with a much smaller population, with greater problems of transportation, and with an infinitely larger proportion of her men gone to war, has shown the way for winning the war through intensive production of food.

He expressed the hope the Farm Bureau of the county and all local units would get behind the movement for a greater production of nonperishable foodstuffs.

"Think of Pierpont Inn, Ventura." —[Advertisement.

DESPONDENT GERMAN COMMITS SUICIDE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 25.—"There's no place for a German anywhere in the civilized world outside of Germany." This was the statement of Otto Moyer, 49, a native of Bavaria, and an itinerant workman, to companions a day before his lifeless body was found hanging to a rafter in a disused barn along the line of the Santa Fe Railroad six miles north of here.

Moyer's name and age were learned Thursday when he was arrested in company with several other unemployed men under Sheriff Smith's "get-to-work-or-get-out" order, and taken to the County Jail for questioning. Nothing of Moyer's antecedents are known and there were no documents on his person to show the addresses of relatives. In conversation he evidenced more than the ordinary education.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 902x1.—[Advertisement.

RED CROSS DANCE NETS GOOD RETURNS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BALDWIN PARK, Feb. 25.—Mrs. D. J. Shultis, chairman of the Red Cross benefit dance given here this month, reports that the net proceeds of the affair were $108. Part of this was due to generous donations of candy and cake, which were sold, and to the fact that the refreshments were practically all donated by patriotic citizens. The patronesses of the affair, who deserve credit for its success, were Mmes. Shultis, Mowers, Frady, Berry, Couch, Lang, Alexander, Van Antwerp, Klika, Garner, Johnson, Henigan, Jones, Haigler, Montjoy, Heltzman, Rucker, Heath and Heintz.

The local chapter of the Red Cross has made a splendid record in all its work. It has provided 216 knitted garments and 162 hospital garments since it was organized, and the members are nearly all working on others.

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BRITISH EARL TO SPEAK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 25.—The Earl of Dunmore will speak at the opening of the Santa Monica Red Cross headquarters next Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The British Ambulance Society will take an active part in the exercises, which will be held at what was formerly the Sunset Inn at Colorado and Ocean avenues.

EARL OF DUNMORE IS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER.

SCION OF BRITISH NOBILITY IS GUEST OF PASADENA BOARD OF TRADE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 26.—Lieut.-Col. Alexander Edward Murray, eighth Earl of Dunmore, V.C., M.V.A., D.S.O., was the principal speaker at the High School auditorium last night at the patriotic concert given under the direction of Miss Antoinette Sabel. Lord Murray told of his war experiences.

He has served with the British forces in Afghanistan and has been wounded twice since serving in France, once in Ypres and the second time in Flanders. He was the guest of the Board of Trade for the evening.

The chorus of 200 trained students singing national anthems made the auditorium ring and aroused the audience to the heights of patriotism. Assisting artists were Frank Terramore, tenor; Grace Adele Freeby, pianist; Constance Balfour, soprano, and Gladys Bates. The concert was given as a benefit for the Red Cross.

JOINS THE COLORS.

Another Pasadena physician and surgeon to join the service is Dr. J. H. Breyer, who will go to Camp Kearny within the next few days. When Maj. C. D. Lockwood left Pasadena with the ambulance corps last summer Dr. Breyer took over his practice and now in turn must turn his practice over to another doctor.

The late ex-Mayor W. H. Workman is remembered as one of the most congenial traveling companions by J. S. Mills, both of whom were the trail blazers for what is at present the Salt Lake Railroad. In 1891 Mr. Workman and Mr. Mills made the preliminary survey of the route from Milford, Utah, then the point farthest south of the Oregon Short Line, for the Los Angeles Terminal Railway.

TRIBUTE TO WORKMAN.

In trips over the desert and many attendant railroad journeys the two were together a great deal. "Mr. Workman never failed in congeniality and his companionship. He was always cheerful through many hardships," says Mr. Mills.

The best methods for Sunday-school teaching will be demonstrated at the institute of the Methodist Episcopal Church which will be held here Wednesday and Thursday of this week at the First Methodist Church. Among the principal speakers will be Rev. William S. Bovard, D. D., Rev. Arlo Ayres Brown, Rev. Harry Wilson, and Mrs. Mary Muffly Morehouse.

Karl Moon, painter of Indians, has become tired of his German name and hereafter is to call himself Carl. The artist says he is of English descent on both sides of his family.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

OFFER CASH PRIZES FOR BEST GARDENS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL MONTE, Feb. 25.—The school gardens of this city promise to outdo those of last year, as all students show a disposition to profit by their previous experience. In the grammar school there are two classes in agriculture, each competing in the movement. Each student is allotted a plat of ground 180 feet square and is responsible for its care and credited with the results obtained. This year Instructor Hurley is encouraging the planting of the staples, potatoes and onions being the early crops favored. He is offering three cash prizes for the best gardens, which is putting every student agriculturist upon his mettle. The produce of the school gardens of this city for last year was sold and the returns invested in Liberty Bonds. The same policy will probably be pursued this year.

"Think of Pierpont Inn, Ventura." —[Advertisement.

EL CENTRO SCHOOLS MUST DROP GERMAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, Feb. 25.—Learning that German was still being taught in the Central High School here a band of patriotic citizens of this district met tonight and passed drastic resolutions asking the school authorities to discontinue teaching the language for the remainder of the war. The County Council of Defense has indorsed the movement for the elimination of German and will hold a conference with County Superintendent Shibley on the subject tomorrow.

BIG SALE OF STAMPS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 25.—A four-day campaign for the sale of government war savings stamps ended here at noon today with subscriptions totalling $201,015.

BUYS COW WITH THRIFT STAMPS.

Patriotic Pastor Insists that Bovine's Owner Take Baby Bonds.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 25.—Negotiating the purchase of a cow with war savings stamps is the latest method of boosting the sale of this patriotic issue, according to H. H. Raymond, chairmah of the Ocean Park Thrift Stamp Committee.

Rev. C. Sidney Maddox, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Santa Monica, is the man who bought the cow and incidentally added to the sales of his favorite contestant in the War Savings Stamp Committee's contest. When the pastor found the bovine that he eventually bought, he told the owner the animal suited him, but that he would not purchase it unless the thrift stamps were taken in payment. The deal was made and $100 in war stamps added to the already large total sales of the local committee.

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PREP BASEBALL DATES ANNOUNCED.

The prep baseball coaches got together at Olive-street school yesterday afternoon and made out a new schedule for the coming season. Here is the result of their ardent labors:

March 22—Pasadena at Jefferson, Long Beach at L. A., Manual at Whittier, Hollywood at Poly, Lincoln, bye.
March 29—Hollywood at Long Beach, Lincoln at Manual, Jefferson at Poly, Whittier at L. A., Pasadena, bye.
April 5—Poly at Pasadena, Whittier at Long Beach, L. A. at Lincoln, Jefferson at Hollywood, Manual, bye.
April 12—Pasadena at Manual, Long Beach at Poly, Hollywood at L. A., Lincoln at Jefferson, Whittier, bye.
April 16—L. A. at Pasadena, Lincoln at Long Beach, Jefferson at Manual, Whittier at Hollywood, Poly, bye.
April 19—Long Beach at Pasadena, Manual at Hollywood, Poly at Lincoln, Jefferson at Whittier, L. A., bye.
April 26—Pasadena at Lincoln, Long Beach at Jefferson, L. A. at Manual, Whittier at Poly, Hollywood, bye.
May 3—Pasadena at Hollywood, Poly at Manual, L. A. at Jefferson, Lincoln at Whittier, Long Beach, bye.
May 10—Whittier at Pasadena, Manual at Long Beach, L. A. at Poly, Hollywood at Lincoln, Jefferson, bye.

BASKETBALL PLAY.

The unlimited title of the A.A.U. basketball league is due for settlement this evening on the L.A.A.C. floor. Should the "Y" men win the game the two quintettes will be tied, as far as percentages go, but if the Clubmen pull out on top the title is theirs.

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Your child is bilious, constipated and sick. Its little tongue is coated, breath is bad and stomach sour. Get a 10-cent box of Cascarets and straighten the youngster right up. Children love this harmless candy cathartic and it cleanses the little liver and thirty feet of bowels without griping. Cascarets contain no calomel and can be depended upon to move the sour bile and poison right out of the bowels. Best family cathartic, because it never cramps or sickens like other things.

UncenSored Remarks

By William M. Henry

SOAK'EM GEORGIE ADAMS and Jimmy Dundee are the young men who will attempt to send the fans home from Jack Doyle's minus the rainy-night grouch. We need no introduction to Georgie, while Dundee comes south from San Francisco with a record in which the "win" column looks like a few pages out of the city directory.

Dundee is a trifle heavier than Adams, and is credited with being a rushing, tearing sort of a fighter. Rushing and tearing into the ordinary guy is all right, but trying out this method of attack on Georgie is our idea of a mussy way of spending an evening. Adams says that his hand is mended now, and he will do his best to please and entertain.

Young Brown and Al Grunsan will mix in the semi-windup. Al is good enough to have beaten Tommy Richards, and Brown is the original non-stop champion who keeps messing along regardless. Gene Watson will mix with Harry Eagles. Lee More with Cliff Thomas, Charlie Roselli and Young Farrell, and Mike Soletto and Ted Levin.

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Most Distressing.

An appalling silence threatens the Coast League. The passing of Judge McCredie and Hen Berry from the ranks of the magnates has removed the two noisiest and most interesting characters that ever called a fellow magnate a liar. Berry was always in the public eye, while the Judge centered his attack on the public ear. Hen had about as much tact in his conversation as he had hair on his head, yet compared with the judge, his language was as sweet and gentle as a woman's when asking her old man for a little money. Interest never flagged in baseball while these two untamed gents were in the league, and their equals in their line will be hard to find. However, the league will need no artificial respiration in the way of quarrels and arguments this year. The teams look uniformly stronger than they did at a similar time in 1917, and there will be so much torrid competition that wordy battles will be overlooked entirely.

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Mary's Brother.

The victory of Nat Browne over Roland Roberts at the big Honolulu tennis tournament in straight sets merely shows what Mary's brother can do when he tries. Nat usually confines his effort on the tennis courts to playing men's doubles and kidding other players. Nobody seems to thing he can play singles at all, although we remember seeing him beat the Southern California women's singles champion 6-1 with his left hand a year ago, and he is a whole lot better with his right than he is with his left. Nat is a foxy player who can lob, drive and chop with equal facility, and who boasts an innocent baby smile and serve that are easy to look at but exceedingly deceptive. Nat can be beaten as a singles player, but to accomplish this feat you have to use something besides a tennis racket.

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Weighty Stuff.

William Warde Fowler, formerly of The Times sporting department, writes from an aviation school in France that since leaving this country he has inhaled so much information and foreign food that he now tips the beam at 173 pounds. Fowler weighed a scant 150 when he left for the west front, and it may be judged from the figures that Uncle Sam is taking pretty good care of his nephews over there. Fowler is doing his flying at a new American field, along with a number of other Southern California boys, among them Fred Kelly, the track hero, Corliss Moseley, who won football and wrestling fame, and Davis, the big blond boy who set the eastern tennis world on fire a season or so ago.

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Past History.

A gentleman by the name of Kurt E. Henderson writes in to know who won the Los Angeles to Sacramento road race four or five years ago. Frank Verbeck, who now conducts a garage in Pasadena, was victorious in this event, which in many ways surpassed the Los Angeles to Phoenix face for thrills. He drove a Fiat 90 through Bouquet Canyon, and won undying fame for his exploit. A feat which really overshadowed that of Verbeck, however, was that of our literary friend, Barney Oldfield, who finished third in the same event, driving a 120-horse-power Fiat. How Barney ever got up there in his fire-belching monster, which weighed as much as an ordinary street car, and had only five inches clearance, nobody knows to this day.

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Interesting.

Persons having a genuine thirst for knowledge can enjoy themselves by taking in the young automobile show which is being held in the auto accessory department at Hamburger's. The show was such a huge and sensational success last week that Manager Grainger of the automobile department is continuing it three days this week. There are several booths down the main aisle and in each booth is an interesting exhibit of some accessary, and a young man with a passionate desire to tell you all about it. The proper functioning of lubricating oils and carburetors is interesting and helpful to all, and the experts on hand at Hamburger's are handing out a lot of free information that will save trouble if followed.

SHOOT MIDWINTER HANDICAP IN SPITE OF OLD FRIEND J.P.

SOME sixty-one shooters, coming from all parts of the Union, applied themselves assiduously to the unpleasant task of puncturing a perfectly good Southern California rainstorm on the grounds of the Los Angeles Gun Club yesterday. The occasion was that of the Los Angeles Gun Club's first Midwinter Handicap, which will continue today with 200 target competition, the John C. Cline trophy and an attractive amount of cash prizes being listed.

A husky torpedo-load of powder and several tons of birdshot assisted the gun experts in officially observing yesterday's soggy excitement and rending the calm silence that ordinarily enwraps the hilly territory adjacent to Eastlake Park. Eight twenty-five target events were staged with twelve five-man squads competing. C. N. Ford of San Jose was high amateur of the day, smashing 197 of the clay pigeons out of a possible 200. Frank Mellus came in second of the amateurs with 193, while R. H. Bungay was third with 192.

L. S. Hauxhurst carried off the professional honors with 197, annihilating just exactly as many targets as did Ford. Hauxhurst represents the Peters Company, while H. E. Posten, second professional, with a score of 195, is from the Hercules stronghold. Charles Knight of the Winchester Company, hung up the third best professional score with 184. The summary and scores:

SUMMARY.

Professional shooters who shot for targets only.

C. N. Ford, high amateur, with 197x200; R. H. Mellus, second, with 193x200; R. H. Bungay, third with 192x200; E. K. Mohler and Dr. L. M. Packard tied for fourth with 191x200; L. S. Hauxhurst, Peters professional, with 197x200; H. E. Posten, Hercules professional, second, with 195x200; Charles Knight, Winchester professional, third with 184x200; George E. Oliver, Hercules, fourth, with 182x200.

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EVENTS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total.
Squad 1—									
Frank H. Mellus	22	24	23	25	24	25	24	25	—192x200
Fred Bair	22	23	23	23	20	21	24	24	—170x200
B. L. Quarle	24	23	23	24	25	24	24	23	—190x200
W. E. Mellus	23	23	24	24	25	24	24	24	—191x200
*H. E. Posten	23	23	24	24	24	24	24	24	—195x200
Squad 2—									
O. N. Ford	23	24	24	25	25	25	25	24	—197x200
Jr. A. Pope	21	24	23	24	24	24	24	24	—186x200
H. J. VanDeusen	23	23	22	23	24	25	24	24	—180x200
G. H. Anderson	23	24	22	19	23	20	21	22	—174x200
*L. S. Hauxhurst	25	25	25	25	25	23	25	24	—197x200
Squad 3—									
C. W. Fish	21	24	25	25	23	25	25	25	—189x200
O. A. Evans	22	23	25	24	24	23	23	24	—187x200
*C. W. Clement	23	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	—177x200
J. D. Dodds	24	23	23	23	23	23	24	24	—184x200
J. C. Fameche	24	21	20	23	21	24	22	20	—175x200
Squad 4—									
J. T. Downs	25	24	23	25	25	25	23	25	—180x200
H. E. Sargent	25	24	23	23	23	24	24	25	—186x200
W. P. DeMund	23	24	24	25	24	24	24	24	—190x200
E. K. Mohler	24	24	21	25	25	24	24	24	—191x200
William Kennedy	20	19	21	24	19	21	19	20	—163x200
Squad 5—									
Moen	25	24	23	23	23	25	25	25	—189x200
Mrs. Moen	23	24	23	23	21	25	24	23	—180x200
Hal Rodden	23	24	24	24	23	23	23	23	—183x200
Orvie Overall	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	—184x200
C. Monaghan	21	20	21	24	20	20	24	23	—174x200
Squad 6—									
*Charles Knight	23	25	25	25	23	25	23	25	—184x200
J. E. Johnson	23	23	17	24	24	24	24	24	—177x200
D. C. Rand	24	23	23	25	24	24	24	24	—185x200
J. R. Arthur	24	23	24	24	24	24	23	24	—190x200
L. R. Mellus	23	24	24	24	23	23	24	24	—185x200
Squad 7—									
*Harry Hort	20	24	20	19	20	25	23	22	—171x200
Harry Cline	20	24	22	20	24	24	24	24	—187x150
A. E. Hamilton	24	23	23	24	24	24	24	24	—192x200
R. L. Gaskill	21	21	23	19	23	22	20	24	—173x200
Dr. L. M. Packard	25	23	24	25	24	23	25	25	—191x200
Squad 8—									
S. H. Shaman	21	24	24	21	21	25	23	21	—182x200
J. Taylor	24	23	23	24	24	24	24	24	—190x200
C. E. Wharton	24	23	22	21	21	23	23	23	—180x200
*Guy Holoban	24	20	20	21	19	18	15	21	—158x200
F. E. Mellus	24	23	23	21	23	24	23	25	—187x200
Squad 9—									
*Ed Mitchell	24	25	22	23	25	25			—120x150
H. Fihrmann, Jr.	23	23	22	23	24	23	23	23	—180x200
W. E. Phillips	24	23	23	23	20	23	24	24	—179x200
Fred Grewell	22	23	23	22	22	23	19	23	—170x200
J. B. Miller	24	23	23	24	24	24	20	24	—180x200
Squad 10—									
W. H. Whitcomb	24	22	24	24	25	25	19	23	—186x200
Dr. J. L. Martin	20	22	21	23	21	22	18	20	—167x200
R. H. Bungay	23	23	24	24	23	22	24	24	—192x200
J. V. Doering	24	23	24	24	24	24	24	24	—188x200
E. A. Morris	23	21	23	22	20	19	20	24	—171x200
Squad 11—									
G. H. Melford	23	23	23	24	24	24	23	23	—187x200
Gus Knight	23	23	23	23	21	20			—128x150
Sam W. Trout	22	23	24	23	20	23	19	22	—176x200
C. E. Groat	23	23	23	23	20	19	21	23	—176x200
C. M. Bagan	20	20	20	19	23	21	23	22	—168x200
Squad 12—									
*George Oliver	25	23	23	25	23	21	22	25	—182x200
V. A. Bombarb	24	23	21	22	22	22	22	24	—170x200
W. T. Hale	24	23	23	24	13	19	25	23	—176x200
Bob Bole	23	21	23	25	25	25	19	24	—182x200
L. F. Hartinger	24	23	23	24	24	24	24	24	—191x200
C. S. White	24	25	25	24	21	25	24	24	—190x200

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TURKEY DAY GAME OFFERED TO CARDS.

The University of Southern California has offered next football season's Thanksgiving date to Stanford in case the Cards decide to return to the American game. Graduate Manager Bruce of the Trojans stipulated that the contest must be pulled off in Los Angeles.

ESSICK IS WATCHING FOR THE POSTMAN.

Bill Essick, manager of the Vernon club, spent the best part of yesterday with his face glued to the window looking for a postman that didn't come. Essick is anxiously awaiting word from the numerous letters and telegrams that he has scattered over the United States in quest of players. The Vernon pitchers and catchers are due for their first warming up in about one week.

Squared Circle.

MORAN IS EASY FOR HIS RIVAL

Dempsey's Punch Wins Him in Sixth.

O'Dowd is Winner in Bout with Greb.

North and South Serve Up Hot Fight.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE.]

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In the first round they freely and Moran swung Fulton's jaw following to the face and another to the jaw. Then he stiff uppercut to the jaw, ton came back with a jaw which stung Moran a left to the body as the Fulton jabbed a left to and the latter smothered a barrage of rights and as they went into Moran's eye was cut, but round.

CROWD ON TOE

In the second they changed lefts to the face, again while the crowd ton planted three lefts to jaw and began fighting holding. Moran landed the jaw and they mixed Moran fell to a clinch, sent a left to the stomach, right to his jaw in Moran tried his "Mary Ann" jaw and landed almost Fulton stood still and bore him. Fulton put four Moran's jaw as the round

They clinched in the ton shoved Moran off wicked left to his jaw swung a left to Moran's countered the return blow was plainly in distress to save himself. Fulton off and swung to the fell to his knees. Moran's seconds tossed the ring and Referee man awarded the fight the knockout route.

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HONOLULU (T. H.) Feb. layed.)—W. N. Eklund, singles champion, paired and Roberts, San Francisco strenuous match from Ma and Claude Wayne, Los An an exhibition contest of Pacific tennis tournament day. The scores were 6-4,

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NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—Fred Fulton, giant plasterer of Rochester, Minn., and persistent challenger of Jess Willard for the title, got a step nearer to Willard tonight when he knocked out Frank Moran of Pittsburgh in the third round of their ten-round argument here. Things were going well with Moran up to the third. He had lambasted the big Minnesotan freely and had the two opening rounds to his credit by a scant shade and the 9000 spectators, including a liberal sprinkling of northern and eastern tourists, settled down in the expectation of witnessing a lively fight.

In the first round they mixed it freely and Moran swung a right to Fulton's jaw following with a left to the face and another left swing to the jaw. Then he delivered a stiff uppercut to the jaw, but Fulton came back with a left to the jaw which stung Moran. He got in a left to the body as they clinched. Fulton jabbed a left to Moran's face and the latter smothered Fulton with a barrage of rights and left to body as they went into another clinch. Moran's eye was cut, but it was his round.

CROWD ON TOES.

In the second they clinched, exchanged lefts to the face, clinched again while the crowd jeered. Fulton planted three lefts to Moran's jaw and began fighting hard, Moran holding. Moran landed a right to the jaw and they mixed it savagely. Moran fell to a clinch, and Fulton sent a left to the stomach, getting a right to his jaw in retaliation. Moran tried his "Mary Ann" for the jaw and landed almost at will while Fulton stood still and laughed at him. Fulton put four rights to Moran's jaw as the round ended.

They clinched in the third. Fulton shivved Moran off and missed a wicked left to his jaw. Fulton swung a left to Moran's face and countered the return blows. Moran was plainly in distress and clinched to save himself. Fulton shoved him off and swung to the jaw. Moran fell to his knees. At this stage Moran's seconds tossed a sponge into the ring and Referee Sammy Goldman awarded the fight to Fulton by the knockout route.

MILWAUKEE BATTLE

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILWAUKEE, (Wis.) Feb. 25.—There is no longer any doubt about Jack Dempsey's class. Propelling terrific left hand hooks and right crosses to the jaw of Bill Brennan, of Chicago, tonight this wonderful young Californian administered punishment that would have stopped many opponents sooner and was acclaimed the winner in the sixth round, when Referee Houlihan mentioned Dempsey to his corner, indicating the fight was at an end.

When the referee acted, Brennan was almost out, but on his feet, his arms were not heeding the call of the brain to protect his jaw and a complete knockout seemed inevitable. There was no way of stalling off the onrushing Dempsey, who, coming from one side to the other, would let fly with a left, then followed with a right with terrific force.

His punches were as accurate as the aim of a sharpshooter, and Brennan caught the man from Chicago squarely on the jaw. His head wabbled but the fighting instinct was still strong in the frame which ened like a terrific bombardment and Bill tried hard to keep pace with Dempsey, but the action of the referee, in stopping his punishment, but nearly everybody at the ringside believed that it was the right time to call a halt.

ON AGGRESSIVE.

Just a few seconds before forever on the aggressive, Dempsey to the Californian's corner and swinging both fists at speed of a lightweight, sent a washing righthander squarely on Brennan's chin. It was the hardest punch of the whole battle and Brennan cleanly off his feet and found support and crumpled to the canvas. He was a beaten man then, but was wise enough to use all the count permitted him.

He regained his feet at the end of nine but was wabbly and only a target for the punches of the men from the coast.

There was not a single round with the exception of the first the Brennan even had a fighting chance. He was a marked man for the finish of the man who must now be given credit for being a possible successor to Jess Willard, present heavyweight champion of the world. The only one obstacle in his path and that to be removed before he gets a chance, and that is Fred Fulton, the Rochester giant who knocked out Frank Moran in New Orleans.

O'DOWD WINNER.

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ST. PAUL, (Minn.) Feb. 25.—Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, middleweight champion of the world, won a clean cut victory over Harry Greb of Pittsburgh, here tonight in the most vicious ten round battle witnessed in the state since boxing was legalized four years ago. The only O'Dowd by outpointing the Pittsburgher will enter the National Army tomorrow retaining the middleweight crown which he took from the head of Al McCoy in Brooklyn, a few months ago.

ANGELENOS EVEN UP BY DROPPING MATCH

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) Feb. 24.—(Delayed.)—W. N. Eklund, Hawaiian singles champion, paired with Duke and Roberts, San Francisco, in a strenuous match from Nat Brown and Claude Wayne, Los Angeles, in an exhibition contest of the Pacific tennis tournament here today. The scores were 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

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Presser, repair man, hotel, commission	
Grocery clerk, city	$15, $14 week
$10 for factory, city	$9 week
5 workers, mining co	$4.50 day
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BOOK-KEEPER-STENOG., Arizona ..$100
JUNIOR CLERK, city ..18-19 ..$40
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This little touring is just like new, is in fine condition; owner must raise money at once; will sacrifice at a very low price; same can be seen at UNITED AUTO SALES CO., 823 S. Flower. You had better hurry if you want this car.

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LOST—FROM TRAIN NO. 49 IN SOUTH ... Pacific depot, Saturday morning, a ... case full fare ticket and case ... Finder please ... BLDG., Los Angeles, Cal. ...

LOST—BETWEEN 5TH ST. AND REDONDO ... Tuesday, lady's gold watch, engraved ... leather strap. Finder please ... reward. PHONE 20244. ...

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LOST—SMALL ELKS TOOTH GOLD ... somewhere between Seventh ... Restricted neighborhood; home ... $25 payment and $12.50 for ... Address, this and insur... ...

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AND ENVIRONS.

To Prophetic Association.

Evangelist W. P. Nicholson will speak at a meeting of the Southern California Pre-Millennial Prophetic Association at 4 p.m. today, at the Bible Institute. His subject will be "The Second Coming of the Lord."

For Beginners.

Courses in electrical engineering and drawing of the freshman grade will be opened in Los Angeles this evening by the extension division of the University of California. Further information may be obtained at the extension division's office in the Union League Building.

Preacher to Talk.

"Has Man Fallen or Risen?" will be the subject of a lecture by Rev. E. Stanton Hodgin at the First Unitarian Church, No. 925 South Flower street, next Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The lecture is free and the public cordially invited.

Box Supper for Kansans.

A box supper will be the feature at the meeting of the Kansas State Society to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Forum Hall, No. 203 Mercantile place. In addition to the box supper, an extraordinary programme of entertainment has been arranged.

To Talk on Japan.

"Japan" will be the subject of an address to be given at the meeting of the Jevian Electric League tomorrow noon at Hamburger's Cafe by U. Oyama, Japanese Consul at Los Angeles. Additional entertainment has been provided by the committee in charge.

W.C.T.U. to Entertain.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Los Angeles will give a patriotic programme on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. Tourists and members of the Society of Patriotic Mothers of Sons in Service are invited to be present.

To Pine Tree Association.

John T. McBean will speak on "National Defense" and Alfred L. Bartlett will describe "A Naval Battle in Sagadahoc Bay" at a meeting of the Pine Tree State Association this evening in The Times' Assembly Rooms. Musical selections will be given by Miss Jessie M. York.

Sunday Gospel Chorus.

The Sunday Gospel Chorus will hold a special meeting this evening at 7:30 in the First Methodist Church, Sixth and Hill streets, at which Prof. Carl Bronson will be the principal speaker. Brooks Fisher, tenor, will sing a solo, accompanied at the organ by Miss Margaret Benedict.

Lecture on Palestine.

A luncheon is being arranged for Dr. Ben Zion Mossinsohn at the Alexandria Hotel on Monday noon next. The lecture, "The Rehabilitation of Palestine," takes place at the Trinity Auditorium Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, which is free to the public. At this lecture Dr. Mossinsohn will speak both in the Yiddish and English language, and in the evening he will occupy the pulpit of B'nai B'rith Temple, Eighth and Hope streets.

CLUB TO CELEBRATE POET'S BIRTHDAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 25.—In celebration of the birthday of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, the American poet, the melodrama of "Hiawatha," with a musical setting, was presented by the Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club this afternoon.

The Cadman Trio, including Mrs. William R. Garrett, reader; Mrs. Francis E. Smith, soloist, and Miss Alma M. Geiser, soloist, were the artists on the programme. The musical setting of the work was composed by Saidee Knowland Coe.

Mrs. Smith was heard in several of Charles Wakefield Cadman's selections during the programme. Tea was served by Mrs. Norman McKee.

ASSEMBLYMAN IS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BRAWLEY, Feb. 25.—R. E. Wills, Assemblyman from the Imperial Valley, sustained a dislocated hip and three broken ribs besides internal injuries last night, when he cranked his automobile with the gears in mesh, the machine running over him. He is in a serious condition at the Valley Hospital, and grave fears are entertained that he may not recover. Wills got out of the machine at his ranch near this city to unlock a gate. When he cranked the automobile it shot forward over him, racing into an outbuilding, where it was wrecked. Wills was unconscious when picked up.

SCHOOL BOYS WILL PLANT VACANT LOTS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 25.—A meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon at the call of Mayor Vandegrift, to consider the problem of gardening the vacant lots in this city. A survey of the available vacant lots in Pomona shows that there are 191 lots which are suitable for gardening, besides a large number which are already planted. It is the Mayor's plan to help a number of the schoolboys in starting the lot gardening, and the boys will not only be doing their country a good turn, but will make some money for themselves.

BREAKS JAIL, THEN RETURNS.

Fugitive Shivers in Cold of Foothills and Comes Back to Bastile.

"Stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage," in the opinion of C. Lara, who escaped from the East Side jail several days ago. He waited too long before making his break for liberty, and when he got out he ran into a strip of rainy weather. Afraid to make a break for the open country, he inhabited the underbrush in the vicinity of Mt. Washington for several days and finally, half-starved and dripping wet with rain, he made his way to the East Side jail again yesterday afternoon, rang the bell and asked to be taken back into the fold where baked potatoes, hot soup and a dry bunk could be had.

REALTY MAN URGES POWER DEVELOPMENT.

USE BONDS FOR HYDROELECTRIC ENERGY, SAYS W. M. GARLAND.

The request of the Federal Petroleum Administrator for the Pacific Coast, D. M. Folsom, that the funds available from the bonds of the city of Los Angeles be used to develop hydroelectric power, rather than the duplication of existing distributing facilities, found a warm supporter yesterday in William May Garland, well-known realty man who has just returned to this city after a trip through Northern California, Oregon and Washington.

"Here is a golden opportunity to develop our hydroelectric energy and at the same time to show our loyalty to the government," he said. "We can settle the matter right now. Under present conditions we are getting nowhere. We sent R. P. del Valle of the Board of Public Service Commissioners, Ralph Criswell, City Councilman, and W. B. Mathews, special counsel, to Washington, and thus far the reports show us that the journey was useless as to definite results.

"For my part I was opposed to any proposition that would take the power out of the hands of our State and Pacific Coast officials and vest it in the national authorities. Not that I feared that Washington would not give us a just decision, but I believe the facts could be presented here in a better manner than 3000 miles away.

"This is not a question of whether one believes in municipal ownership or in the operation of public utilities by private corporations. It is a question of the best way to solve an important proposition by the expenditure of the least amount of money and a minimum of energy on the part of the city officials. There need be no animus in this power controversy. We can get together on a plan that will be for the good of all.

"We must remember that we are at war. It is expedient that we conserve to the best of our ability. How is it possible to do this by a plan that would mean the duplication of distributing systems already in existence?"

FOOD ADMINISTRATOR NAMED AT POMONA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 24.—L. L. Lostutter, former member of the California State Assembly, has received word of his appointment as Food Administrator for this district, and will enter upon his duties at once.

He will have charge of the conservation and distribution of all food in this entire section, and should conditions necessitate placing the public on rations, his duties will certainly keep him busy.

MERCHANT RETIRES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CHINO, Feb. 25.—After twenty-seven years of merchandising in this city, M. Moyse, has sold his stock to a Los Angeles firm, and will retire. It is understood that the new owners will move the stock to the Pine Building and continue in business here. Mr. Moyse started in the general merchandise business in Chino when there were but few people here, and has been a large factor in the upbuilding of this city.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

[Advertising.]

The best-dressed men are those who follow closely the window displays of Harris & Frank's store at 437 S. Spring st. Today's windows are brimful of interest. A gray overcoat, marked $15, is an eye-opening value, and may be had in other colors, too. The Munsingwear union suits at $3 personify wear and solid comfort. Brown shoes for spring are "it." H. & F.'s displays for men are second to none in town.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 25.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.03; at 5 p.m. 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 67 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 99 per cent.; 5 p.m., 94 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 10 miles. Highest temperature, 81 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Rainfall for season, 6.97 inches; last season, 14.27 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Storm's area of low pressure moved rapidly eastward and is now central over Iowa. Precipitation occurred generally in its path from the Pacific States to Missouri, the greatest amounts falling in Southern California. Mt. Wilson reports the greatest amount, 1.32 inches, in the past twenty-four hours. Other stations reporting one inch or more since yesterday are as follows: Los Angeles, 1.16; Santa Barbara, 1.00. An unusually well-marked area of high pressure entered the Pacific Northwest Monday morning and now covers Washington, Oregon, Idaho and portions of California, lowering the temperature to freezing and lower in many localities. Minimum reported in the period ending at 5:30 a.m. this morning is 8 deg. at the hour of observation Monday morning. Forecast is for fair weather, probably showers, Tuesday in Los Angeles and vicinity.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from orchards located in the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau yesterday are as follows:

Stations.	Max.	Min.
Bonita	66	39
Corona	67	40
Escondido	62	32
Mt. Wilson	46	30
Pasadena	63	41
Pomona	69	39
Redlands	68	50
Riverside	68	50
Santa Barbara	58	48
San Bernardino	68	49
San Fernando	54	40
Tustin	64	48

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled Tuesday; probably showers; warmer; moderate winds, mostly westerly.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Weather forecast; San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Probably fair Tuesday; moderate westerly wind.

Southern California: Showers Tuesday; followed by clearing weather; warmer in northeast, cooler in southwest portion; moderate westerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Tuesday, fair in south, showers in north portion; moderate winds, mostly southerly.

Santa Clara Valley: Probably fair Tuesday; gentle westerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Fair Tuesday; gentle, variable winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Forecast for Arizona: Generally fair Tuesday; warmer in north portion.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 25.—[Reports from Districts from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 15.2 feet; discharge today, 6000 second-feet; yesterday, 6700; Saturday, 6900.

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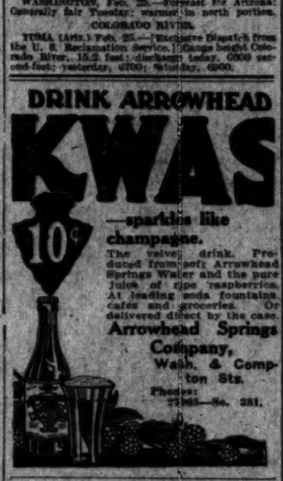
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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

AIELLO—TERESI, Joseph J. Aiello, 22; Rose M. Teresi, 19.
ALDRICH—BACKUS, Clarence R. Aldrich, 25; Harriet A. Backus, 19.
ANDERSEN—HALL, Peter Andersen, 29; Grace Hall, 25.
BECKER—CAMPBELL, George W. Becker, 66; Elizabeth J. Campbell, 66.
BEAMS—KOOB, Daniel Blake, 24; Rose E. Koob, 18.
BOND—ANDERSON, Charles Bond, 27; Carrie Anderson, 20.
BRYAN—SORDET, John R. Bryan, 22; Lois A. Sordet, 22.
BRYCE—CHISHOLM, Richard L. Bryce, 21; Blanche Chisholm, 18.
CRIDER—MOORE, Ralph C. Crider, 25; Molly Moore, 20.
CLARK—CLARK, William M. Clark, 37; Vera Clark, 30.
CLETRO—PARTIN, John J. Cletro, 23; Stella I. Partin, 20.
CUMMINS—WILLIAMS, Charles B. Cummings, 32; Gladys G. Williams, 18.
DAVIS—SLAYDOMSEW, William W. Davis, 24; Hazel E. Bartholomew, 20.
EDMISON—JOHNSTON, William H. Edmison, 30; Nellie Johnston, 26.
ELT—WHIPPLE, Ralph H. Ely, 28; Ina L. Whipple, 19.
GOMEZ—TALAMOS, Cipriano V. Gomez, 31; Juanita Salcedo, 20.
GRAVES—PRATT, Jesse A. Graves, 21; Dorothy P. Pratt, 20.
GRIFFIN—BREEN, Elroy P. Griffin, 19; Rosamond F. Breen, 21.
HARROWER—BOYER, Alfred B. Harrower, 21; Velta R. Boyer, 18.
HESS—GANYARD, George W. Hess, 42; Gabrielle G. Ganyard, 32.
HOPKINS—HOPKINS, Ralph S. Hopkins, 47; Agnes V. Hopkins, 39.
LANE—CHARLESOIR, W. G. Anderson Lane, 32; Katharine Charlesoir, 28.
MARQUEZ—LORANO, Gumecindo Marquez, 33; Josefa Lorano, 22.
MARTIN—EAWOLD, George F. Martin, 25; Frieda M. Kaneld, 24.
McALLISTER—EMERY, James D. McAllister, 20; Alfreda H. Emery, 20.
MELMONOT—MAMONA, Celso Melmonot, 23; Estrella Mancha, 19.
MILLER—LERIGER, Theodore L. Miller, 26; Amelia M. Leriger, 24.
NELSON—CLARK, David P. Nelson, 24; Anna M. Clark, 22.
OMA—ESTRADA, Regino Oma, 40; Marinada Estrada, 22.
OVERBERG—MOSS, Joseph B. Overberg, 21; Gilda M. Moss, 24.
RINDUF—GOODWIN, James Rendif, 22; Esther Goodwin, 19.
SCOTT—ATTIX, Vernon W. Scott, 20; Bertha M. Attix, 17.
SPLICHAL—KRNA, Josef Splichal, 41; Minde Krna, 36.
TERRY—GOODE, Leon L. Terry, 20; Mildred Goode, 18.
TORRES—OBALLER, Francisco Torres, 22; Stella Oballer, 18.
TURNER—DOW, Kelsey W. Turner, 19; Gladys V. Dow, 17.
WARD—McDOWELL, Howard F. Ward, 21; Grace L. McDowell, 21.
WINCHESTER—MAXAM, Fitch Winchester, 20; Clarinda Maxam, 27.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

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Makes History.

PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS FIXED FOR LOS ANGELES.

Knell of the Profiteer Sounded in Our First War Schedule for Flour, Sugar, Bread, Butter.

FOLLOWING is the first schedule of prices on staple foodstuffs ever fixed in Los Angeles. It was promulgated yesterday by the City Food Administration and is effective immediately. Note that these are maximum prices, i.e., you should not pay more than these figures. Many grocers will be able to sell for less. In case of overcharge report it to the Food Administration offices, ninth floor Van Nuys Building.

	Whole dealer to retailer.	Retailer to consumer.
Potatoes—		
Fancy Highlands (per cwt.)	$1.65 to $1.75	$2.00 to $2.25
Flour—		
Local first family		
49-pound sacks	2.70	3.00
24½-pound sacks	1.38	1.55
Sugar—		
Granulated (per cwt.)	7.80	5 lbs. for .44
Bread—		
24-ounce	.11	.13
16-ounce	.07½	.09
Butter—		
Cream'y extra (1-lb. cartons)	.52 to .53	.57 to .58

NOTE.

Government flour regulation: Retail dealers only permitted maximum profit of 80 cents to $1.20 per barrel in the sizes quoted and not over 1 cent per pound profit when sold in broken-sack lots.

Government sugar regulation: Maximum profit allowed dealers of ½ to 1 cent per pound based on delivered cost. This applies to all grades.

The death knell of the food profiteer in Los Angeles was sounded yesterday when the Los Angeles Food Administration Fair Price Committee met and officially fixed prices of staple foodstuffs for the first time in the city's history. As a beginning, it decided upon the maximum prices which retailers may charge consumers for potatoes, flour, sugar, bread and butter. Failure to observe these prices means the loss of the dealer's license.

The committee consists of members of the wholesale and retail trade with three women sitting on it to represent the consumers. Their decision includes the price which the retailer is expected to pay the wholesaler, and the consumer to receive. All wholesalers are obliged to make a statement to the government of their business so they are not included.

The committee decided the fair profit upon a basis of 15 per cent. of the cost. It was also pointed out by the members that these prices are lower than those quoted in most cities.

The Harvard School of Research in 1914 issued the statement that the grocers of the United States based their prices on a net cost of 18 to 25 per cent. and since then all foodstuffs have advanced over 50 per cent.

The "fair prices" will vary as the market conditions and quotations change. If any of the foodstuffs advance on the local market 1 cent a pound, then the price to the retailer and the consumer will advance 1 cent also. The same if there is a drop. This will enable the consumer to easily find out the fair price for that day by looking at the daily produce market quotations and comparing with the list given out by the committee.

While but few of the staple articles have as yet been decided upon, the committee has accomplished as much as the San Francisco Fair Price Committee did in two weeks. This statement was made by Administrator Cole yesterday.

According to figures in the office of the Food Administration there are over 800 grocers in this district which will be affected by this order. As several of the committee members are men who own stores having heavy overhead expenses, this

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—Richelieu ribbed stockings in plain and striped effects, also solid colors with contrasting clocks, plain effects with embroidered dots and small figures.

—A remarkable special offering entirely in advance of all other spring sales, but the promise of an early season induces us to anticipate the demand, and incidentally to provide an opportunity for large savings.

FIRST FLOOR.

Exploiters of War Needs, Take Notice!

Los Angeles Food Administration Fair Price Committee (below.)

Left to right, they are, seated, Chester Thompson, chairman, and Mrs. J. T. Anderson. Standing, N. B. Nelson, representing Frank A. Coates; P. F. McCarthy, J. A. Daley, Food Administrator Louis M. Cole, A. M. Klein, J. A. Jevne and Victor H. Tuthill. Mrs. Benjamin Goldman and Mrs. H. A. Cable were not present.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU MERGER IS PLANNED.

At the conference yesterday between the Municipal Industrial Commission of this city and John P. McLaughlin, State Labor Commissioner, and W. T. Boyce, Federal director of employment for California, Arizona and Nevada, at the offices of the Public Employment Bureau, Supt. Clark of the local bureau was authorized to continue negotiations with Mr. Boyce looking toward the consolidation of Federal, State and city bureaus so as to co-ordinate employment functions in this section. This co-ordination will mean, it is stated, the elimination of the expensive duplication in the maintenance of separate offices for the different branches, and will secure a single clearing-house for labor in this section.

NOTED WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. Cornelia Gorham was of Distinguished Family and Sister of a Former Senator.

Mrs. Cornelia Gorham, widow of the late E. J. Gorham, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Schuyler Cole of Colegrove, this city. She was 80 years old and had lived in Southern California for the last eighteen years, during which time she had endeared herself to a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. Gorham was born in Cleveland, O., in 1838, and for many years was a companion of her brother, United States Senator John P. Jones, in Washington, when he was Senator from Nevada. After coming to California, she lived for a time at Senator Jones's residence, Miramar, at Santa Monica. For the last few years she had lived with her daughter, Mrs. Cole. Two brothers, Frederick K. Jones of Santa Monica and Samuel M. Jones of San Francisco, are now the only survivors of thirteen brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Gorham is survived by an only son, H. M. Gorham, president of the Bank of Santa Monica, besides her daughter. The funeral will be conducted from the home of Mrs. Schuyler Cole and will be private.

Needed.

RADICAL CHANGES URGED IN AUTO TRAFFIC RULES.

RADICAL changes will be made in the traffic regulations if the City Council adopts a series of recommendations decided upon yesterday by the Public Safety Committee of the body. Following are some of the most important recommendations:

That it shall be a misdemeanor to drive an automobile through a "safety" zone;

That it shall be unlawful to turn an automobile in the middle of a block, if it is necessary to back the car in order to turn;

That in the downtown district it shall be unlawful to stand an automobile within forty feet of a fire plug, if the plug is in the middle of a block;

That automobiles may stand within fifteen feet of a fire plug if the plug is at the corner of a block;

That no automobile can be displayed with a "for sale" sign on any street within the twelve-mile speed limit;

That there shall be no unnecessary clanging of bells or horns;

That the penalties shall conform with the State law, being $10 or 180 days for the first offense and $30 or 180 days for the second.

Traffic Sergeant Grogan appeared before the safety committee and made most of the suggestions. The committee will meet again today and probably make its recommendations to the Council tomorrow.

In Prison.

KEARNY MAN GETS LONG TERM FOR DISLOYALTY.

Aliens in Army Who Malign Government will be Sternly Dealt With.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP KEARNY (Cal) Feb. 25.—Disloyal Germans or Austrians who, in spite of the benefits they have derived in this country, adhere to the so-called principles of Kaiserism and autocracy are not wanted in the United States Army nor any branch of the government service. This was made plain today when the action of a court-martial in dealing with Private Joseph Raljavich of Battery A, One Hundred and Forty-fifth Machine Gun Battalion, was made known. Raljavich was found guilty of making disparaging remarks against the President, the government and everybody connected with it. Other Germans and Austrians are being dealt with, with an eye to patriotic duty.

Among the remarks said to have been made by the man, who is an Austrian, was one that he "wished he had the President and all of his other dubs on a bomb and could explode the bomb." That was only one of the remarks he made and he found that his comrades did not share his sentiments. As a matter of fact they were wrathful against him. His remarks fell like water on a hot stove.

Raljavich shared the preliminary fate of two per cent. of all the

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"Report at Headquarters."

"GIBSON KISS" REALITY NOW.

Untold Tale of a Diplomat's Osculatory Ordeal.

Friday Morning Club Women Exact Fame's Penalty.

Fifty Ladies Make New Kind of Hero Out of Him.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Hugh Gibson, son of Mrs. Frank A. Gibson, is rather more of a hero than we suspected. Being the diplomat son, with a celebrated Belgian past, of a revered member of the Friday Morning Club, and accepting honorary membership to that influential feminist institution, brought with it dire penalties of fame. After his speech at the club he was, of course, luncheon guest of honor. And after that the deluge. After he had left for the East the story came out yesterday.

On a very conservative estimate he was kissed, patted, embraced and fondled by at least fifty honorable club mammas, every one of whom traded shamelessly on her age and exacted the right of intimate endearment. So many of them could remember the dear boy as a youth in knee pants, probably even recalled a weakness for neglecting his neck, and stood amazed that little Hughie should have grown up to be such a celebrated young diplomat. One dear old lady recalled delightedly when he successfully spun his first top and avowed her intention of kissing him forthwith. She did. Another promptly recalled his brilliant dash in the matter of kites—once ruined her crop of apricots by knocking all the blooms off her tree for her with one. Of course, she must kiss him. She did. Still another remembered vividly an occasion on which he had majestically refrained from saying what he thought about an unjust teacher, the horrid thing, and she wondered what said teacher would be thinking today. What indeed? Nothing but an immediate kiss could stem the lady's emotions. She had it. Still others had been such long dear friends of his brilliant mamma—they all yearned for kisses and they all got 'em. In fact the Gibson kiss, once celebrated on magazine covers, became a living reality for our own Hugh Gibson—and he lives to tell the tale. He never quavered, not obviously at all events. After each new kiss he pulled himself together heroically for the next and made no moan. In the intervals of kissing he signed countless autograph books but soon gave up the struggle to think up new and brilliant epigrams to append thereto. Dash it all, they ought to be satisfied with kisses. Younger club women stood aghast at the temerity of their elders and betters. For the sake of his reputation be it herewith testified that no lady under 50 subjected him to the ordeal.

Little did our hero imagine, when he so gaily accepted that honorary membership to a big woman's club, and undertook to make his big speech there, what the contract entailed. Being a friend of one's mother brings with it awful rights—and after all if one may not kiss a member of one's own club, who may one kiss?

Whatever else may be said to his credit—or discredit—none can ever describe Hugh Gibson as "a young man who has never been kissed."

WANT GERMAN OUT OF PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS ASK STATE SUPERINTENDENT TO INVESTIGATE.

Believing that the teaching of German and the use of text-books containing possible German propaganda should be eliminated from private and parochial schools as well as from the public schools, the patriotic department of the United Spanish War Veterans and their auxiliaries of California yesterday addressed a letter to State Superintendent of Public Instruction Edward Hyatt at Sacramento, urging a thorough investigation of all such schools and that "everything that does not tend to promote love of our country and its flag be prohibited."

The letter, which is signed by Tom G. Galbraith and Josephine E. Galbraith, is, in part, as follows:

"Your attention is called to the fact . . . that all private and parochial elementary schools should be required to give instruction in the common branches in the English language from text-books written in English. That all instruction in modern foreign languages should be limited in character and intent to study of literature and the mastery of the spoken and written language for practical business use. That a censor of all foreign-language text-books should be made, and whatever may be found inconsistent with American interests, institutions and ideals should be prohibited. . . .

"Therefore, we the undersigned, representing the patriotic department of the United Spanish War Veterans and their auxiliaries of the department of California, respectfully urge that a thorough investigation be made of all private schools with reference to German and other foreign text-books and propaganda, and that everything that does not tend to promote love of our country and its flag be prohibited."

PENNSYLVANIANS TO MEET.

The monthly meeting of the Pennsylvania State Society will be held tonight at 7 o'clock in the Fraternal Brotherhood Building, No. 845 South Figueroa street. Special entertainment and dancing has been provided.

PRICE OF BEER TAKES A JUMP.

First Effects of New Hoover Malt Order Felt in Sharp Rise Here.

As a result of the government's edict prohibiting breweries from purchasing any more malt, the price of beer jumped up yesterday. No longer can you buy two bottles for two-bits. In the future the best you can do is three for half a dollar.

The breweries notified the wholesalers that they must pay $1.60 per dozen "for quarts" and the wholesalers immediately set a price of $2 to the consumer.

"To make a reasonable profit we must charge 50 cents for three bottles or 20 cents straight," said one of the wholesalers and all agreed to the price.

READY FOR SERVICE.

Enforced Slacker Signalizes End of Jail Term by Asking Judge to Help Him Get into Army.

Roy Edward Devlin, who was sent to the County Jail some months ago on the charge of failing to register on June 5, having completed his term, yesterday wrote a note to United States Marshal Walton, asking that he be allowed to register immediately and be certified for service.

His desires were acceded to by the government, and Deputy United States Marshal Kavanaugh took the young man before George Denis of local exemption board No. 17 and arrangements were made for his entry into the service.

Devlin's parents lives in San Jose, and he was "beating" his way home from Chicago for the purpose of registering when he was taken from the train at San Bernardino and given a jail sentence for vagrancy.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Katherine F. Gray Brings Action on Grounds of Desertion and Non-support.

Katherine F. Gray, prominent in local society and musical circles, filed suit yesterday against William H. Gray, a resident of Wisconsin, for divorce on the grounds of desertion, cruelty and non-support. Mrs. Gray is living at the home of her father, H. A. Frambach of No. 1415 South Gramercy Place.

Odd.

WOMEN CALLED CONSPIRATORS

Mother and Daughter Named in Singular Suit.

Wife Says They Took Love of Husband; Ruined Him.

Thrice-Married Defendant is Amused Over Action.

Mrs. Genie Blackman Lyman, who obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce from her third husband, David D. Lyman, only last November, was made defendant yesterday, with her mother, Mrs. Mary Blackman, in an alienation-of-affections suit for $75,000 filed by Mrs. Wendell Z. Taber of Pasadena, through Attorney J. H. Merriam.

In her suit against Mrs. Lyman and Mrs. Blackman, Mrs. Taber alleges that "the defendants entered into a conspiracy," the result of which, she avers, was that a "loving and considerate husband fell in love with Mrs. Lyman and that since then his business has gone to pieces, and he has ceased to live with or support the plaintiff."

It is further alleged that Mrs. Blackman acted as chaperon for her daughter, in the so-called love meetings, and was apparently "the protector of Genie Blackman Lyman."

Mr. Taber conducted a pharmacy on East Colorado street in Pasadena for many years. He is one of the influential citizens of the Crown City and was prominently identified with church activities and was connected with many movements for the betterment of civic conditions there. He is said to have been in poor health for several years. He left for Denver about three weeks ago. He has been suffering from threatened paralysis of the optic nerve, and his physician advised him to try the climate of Colorado.

Mrs. Lyman did not learn until late last night that she had been made defendant in the suit and when she did she laughed heartily.

"That's the most absurd announcement that has ever come to me," was her comment. "I didn't steal Mr. Taber's love from Mrs. Taber. I don't believe that he had any love to steal. All I know about their troubles he told me on Memorial Day, when he came out to call on us. His visit was nothing extraordinary when one stops to consider that he had known our family since long before we came West.

"Mr. Taber told us a surprising thing. He said that he and his wife were not living happily together and that worry over home affairs

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Sierra Madre Druggist Says He was Struck First.

Blames Friend of Spouse for Row Over Child.

Will File Cross-complaint to Suit for Divorce.

Sufficient contradictory evidence was heard by Judge Wood yesterday in the preliminary stage of the divorce suit of Mrs. Elizabeth Sander against Herman Sander, a Sierra Madre druggist, to indicate that the trial will involve more than the question: "Who broke Mrs. Sander's nose?"

Mrs. Sander is a clubwomen of Sierra Madre, who told the court yesterday in alimony proceedings that when her husband called at the South Hope street residence, where she was staying, to see their daughter, Elizabeth, he struck her, breaking her nose and blackening her eye.

"I was afraid of him," she said, "and I consulted my attorney, Griffith Jones. He advised me not to call a policeman, but to have a friend, and I called in a friend."

Mr. Sander explained that when he asked to see his daughter, he found her estranged from him. After a few words with his wife, a man entered the room, he said, and struck him.

"I defended myself and finally struck him. I did not strike my wife on the nose."

"Who was this friend you called in?" Attorney Ticknor asked Mrs. Sander.

"He was a man I had met in San Francisco," she replied.

Mr. Ticknor wanted to know what he was doing in Los Angeles. In fact, he seemed inquisitive about it, but the court did not prefer to go into the matter at this time. By agreement between the parties, the daughter will be taken to the house of a third person on the days Mr. Sander is permitted to see her.

Mr. Sander will file a cross-complaint, it is said, and it is also hinted that he will name two or more men.

WOULD BE INTERNED.

German Refuses to Sign Registration Card, and Says He Wants to Be Put Out of the Way.

After filling out his three blanks as required by the government, Walter Jurgen, a German, 23, years old, appeared before the German enemy registration board at the San Pedro police station yesterday afternoon and refused to sign his name in order to secure his traveling card.

He told the officers to lock him up because he did not intend to sign his card. His excuse is that he is a marine engineer and the war has deprived him of his opportunity to earn a livelihood at his chosen occupation. In his opinion, interment is the easiest way out of the situation. He was arrested for violation of a Presidential proclamation, and sent to Central Station where he will be held for the Federal officers.

Interminable.

PREPARE FOR RESUMPTION OF OIL-LAND FRAUD CASE.

As a result of a conference yesterday, the interminable litigation involving the government's charges of fraud by the Southern Pacific in securing patent to a large area of valuable oil land in Kern and adjoining counties, now valued at millions of dollars, which has been on trial before United States District Judge Bledsoe, at intervals, for the past two years, is to be revived.

At a meeting yesterday it was agreed by Judge Bledsoe that the argument of the suit of the government against the Southern Pacific and twenty-four subsidiary corporations and individuals should begin on April 22. A week has been assigned for the arguments, but it is believed likely that two or more weeks will be consumed. The government will be represented by J. Crawford Biggs, who succeeded the late E. J. Justice in the management of the interests of the prosecution. In behalf of the defendants Charles R. Lewers will appear as the sole attorney for the various defendants.

The government has submitted a 264-page statement of the evidence in the case, and the defendants are allowed until March 10 to file a reply.

This "fraud" suit against the Southern Pacific is separate and apart from what is known as the "withdrawal" cases, many of which are still pending. Testimony has been taken in this city, San Francisco, New York, Washington, D. C., and other cities, in the case, and thousands of pages of the transcript of evidence have been taken.

The decision of Judge Bledsoe, whatever it is, will be but the first stage of the litigation, as the interests involved are so stupendous from a financial point of view that the issues doubtless will be carried to the United States Supreme Court by the losing party.

COCK-PIT RAID SCATTERS MANY.

Autos and Motorcycles Left Behind—Roosters with Spurs Caught.

Pandemonium was let loose when deputy sheriffs raided the ranch of Sam Anslyn, one mile east of Watts, and arrested W. J. Brown of Florence, Frank Lerch of No. 1139 West Washington street, and F. Emery Bridge, No. 5712 Baltimore street, on a charge of attending a cock fight. The men appeared before Justice Cassidy of Huntington Park yesterday.

The pit, according to Deputy Sheriffs Crawley and Bonnell, who made the arrests, was hidden from public view in a clump of shubbery. When the officers descended upon the spectators everybody fled, leaving behind motorcycles and automobiles. Two pedigreed cocks, with steel spurs fastened to their legs, were captured as evidence.

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MYSTERY CALLS BEGET ACTION.

Two Deputies Leave to Hunt for Missing Rancher.

Anonymous Messages Hint at Blood Doings on Malibu.

Crimson Trail Tells of Hurts Sustained by Foreman.

As a sequence to the reported disappearance of William D. Newell, pioneer rancher of the Malibu country, two anonymous telephone calls were received from Santa Monica yesterday by the Sheriff's office to the effect that a shooting affray had taken place on the Malibu Rancho, as a result of which a chauffeur in the employ of Mrs. Mary K. Rindge was injured. A rancher living in the vicinity of the big Malibu Rancho was also reported shot in a skirmish with "gun men."

The report of the shooting was dispatched to the Sheriff's office by G. L. Junge, a grocer of Venice, who made a trip into the Malibu country Sunday to investigate the reason why groceries which he had sent to W. D. Newell, a pioneer plumber of Los Angeles living on a ranch in the Malibu mountains, had not been delivered.

When Junge returned to Venice today, after a hard trip through badly washed out roads, he brought another letter from Henry, directed to Chief Harry J. Raymond of the Venice police. The contents of this communication the Chief refused to divulge, but he later made a trip to Los Angeles to lay it before Sheriff Cline, as the Malibu country is not within the jurisdiction of either the Venice or Santa Monica authorities.

HENRY SENDS MESSENGER.

Junge said that it was impossible for him to get further than the Henry ranch, owing to the bad roads and the fact that passage across the Malibu Rancho was barred. He said, however, that Henry had succeeded in getting a messenger through to the Newell homestead, who returned with the news that the place was deserted, neither Newell nor his wife being there. Junge further told Capt. Albert Buck of the Venice police that he had met on the coast road a lineman of the Rindge ranch who said that he was on the way for a doctor to examine a man who had been shot, and that the boss lineman had also been shot and later died. Junge said further that another messenger had been sent by Henry to the Newell ranch and should have returned before the grocer left, but had failed to arrive and that Henry was fearful that something had happened to him.

Rumors are rife at Santa Monica that there has been a big drinking bout among the settlers in the Malibu in which some of the Rindge employees took part and it is conjectured that if there are any casualties, they were incurred a brawl of some sort.

SEND OFFICERS.

Sheriff Cline yesterday morning dispatched Deputy Sheriffs Coutts and Anderson to make an investigation into the reported shooting affrays, and to attempt to locate Mr. Newell, who, according to Jack Henry, a rancher, failed to appear at the Henry place for a stock of provisions previously ordered by him from a Venice grocery.

No word is expected from the two deputies until some time today, as they are not expected to reach the Newell home until late at night, because of the difficult nature of the country to be traversed.

The Newell home is located in what is known as Rock Canyon, about twenty-eight miles above Santa Monica. The trip beyond the Rindge properties must be undertaken over mountain trails, because of the difficult traveling on the coast road at this time of the year. Mr. Newell and family reside about twelve miles in from the coast, in close proximity to the Calabasas country.

Reports that have lately filtered out from the Malibu country would indicate, according to the Sheriff's office, that Mr. Newell may have got into trouble with a number of heavily-armed men in the Malibu country, and has been shot in the melee.

Resolving the mystery of the blood trail in the Malibu country, which has played a large part in the discussion of the supposed disappearance of Mr. Newell, it was reported yesterday by representatives of the Rindge interests that the blood was the result of injuries sustained by James Phillips, a section foreman for the family at Zuma, who was thrown from a horse and badly injured, ten days ago. Mr. Phillips is now in a hospital at Tropico.

FOR RED CROSS.

Shriners Patrol with Chanters and Military Band Captures Santa Ana—Neat Sum Realized.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 25.—The Shriners came down from Los Angeles by a special train tonight and captured Santa Ana. With the military band, the chanters and the patrol, the Shriners paraded the streets to the theater, where their entertainment was given. In spite of the inclement weather, the audience was large and enthusiastic, and a neat sum of money was realized for the Santa Ana chapter of the American Red Cross. The Shriners are making a tour of a number of Southern California cities, presenting their unique programme with gratifying success. Tota, the clown, and Rus Powell, the black-face artist, were specialty features. The audience was particularly pleased with the band music and the singing of the chanters. The drills of the military patrol brought forth applause.

FIVE ALIEN ENEMIES FACE INTERNMENT.

Deputy United States Marshal Kavanaugh took the five following alien enemies to Fort MacArthur yesterday, for temporary internment: Herbert Kurt Sebold, Frank Essex Fyda, Antoine Stalke, Arthur Felix Robert Ficht and Frank Cache. They are all charged with violating the provisions of the proclamation of President Wilson as to alien enemies, and will later on be taken by a platoon of soldiers to Fort Douglas, Utah, for permanent internment.

SCHOOLS TO GET GARDEN SEEDS.

Park Commission Willing to Look After Their Distribution.

Mayor Woodman announced yesterday that the Park Commission is willing to assume the responsibility of purchasing and handling garden seed to be distributed among the students of agriculture in the public schools.

The Council recently agreed to appropriate $2000 for the purchase of the seeds if some department would take charge of the work.

Food Prices Fixed.

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maximum price does not mean that the smaller store on the outskirts of the city need charge the maximum price.

One of the members made the statement that the fair price is the maximum; but ordinary and legitimate competition will decide the prevailing price. That the grocery business is far from a get-rich-quick business was evidenced by the statement that since the first of this year more than 300 groceries have changed hands.

Yesterday was the first day of the embargo on entire wheat products, and several bakers were reported to Administrator Cole for not observing this ruling.

"All bread must contain at least 20 per cent. wheat substitutes and all pastries at least 33 1-3 per cent. substitutes from now on," said Mr. Cole.

"While many of the bakers are not aware of the date for this ruling yet, ignorance of the law is no excuse. The National Food Administration has revoked the licenses of a number of merchants in the East and there are a few stores in Los Angeles who are flirting on the edge of the same fate."

Next Wednesday the offices of the local administration will move into larger quarters. The I. N. Van Nuys estate, which donated the present quarters, have offered them a large business suite on the third floor. Rooms 318-321. This suite consists of three private and one large reception-room.

TRUCKLOAD OF TWINE STOLEN; MAN HELD.

B. L. Barclay, an employee of the Pioneer Roll Paper Company was arrested yesterday by Detectives Fitzgerald and Ziegler on a charge of having stolen and disposed of 3300 pounds of twine belonging to the company. On the second inst., the twine was hauled away in an auto truck. The loss was figured at $1800. Yesterday the detectives saw a bale of twine in a store window at Commercial and Main street. It was marked at an extremely low price. Upon investigation, they traced the source of supply to Barclay, and they claim that he confessed having stolen the twine.

HUMANOGRAMS

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OF "MONYS!"
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AND MATRIMONY!
AND APPARENTLY
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OF THE SAME FAMILY!
FOR YOU CANNOT
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WITHOUT THINKING
OF MATRIMONY!
FOR PATRIMONY
COMES IN MIGHTY HANDY
IN MATRIMONY!
AND YOU CANNOT
THINK OF PARSIMONY
WITHOUT ASSOCIATING IT
WITH MATRIMONY!
ESPECIALLY, WHEN
THE BILLS COME IN
FROM THE DOCTOR
AND THE NURSE
AND YOU'VE SIMPLY GOT
TO HOOVERIZE!
AND YOU CANNOT
THINK OF ALIMONY
WITHOUT THINKING
OF MATRIMONY!
FOR, ALIMONY
IS A CHILD OF
MATRIMONY!
AND IT'S SO FUNNY
THAT ALL THE "MONYS"
ARE RELATIVES!
AND SOME OF THEM
GIVE ONE A PAIN
AND SOME OF THEM
GIVE ONE A PLEASURE!
AND THERE YOU ARE!
YOURS TRULY:
THE PROFIT-SHARERS!
WHO SAVE THE MEN
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SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

Announced.

a happy luncheon party at the Gabriel Country Club announce- was made of the engagement Miss Marjorie Kennedy of Pasa- and Lieut. Harold Shaffer, now ing recruits in the ambulance at a camp near Philadelphia. enlisting, Lieut. Shaffer was ted with the First National of Pasadena. Both he and Miss dy are members of the so- in the Crown City, and have friends in Los Angeles also. Kennedy is the daughter of and Mrs. Kennedy; Mrs. Emily dy, a wealthy Philadelphia so- matron, is her grandmother. wedding will not take place un- after the war, as Lieut. Shaffer s to leave for overseas shortly. the luncheon a very gay floral centered the table, at which were marked for nineteen , many being from Los An-

Bride.

Mr. Robert A. Huene, a bride of , was the charming honoree jolly tea and linen shower ven, at which Miss Sara Dun- was hostess. The birthday of Father of His Country was hon- all the elaborate decorations in patriotic colors. Eighteen s were present. Mrs. Huene, is a very youthful bride, was merly Miss Julia Margaret Solo-

Mrs. Reed.

Mrs. J. Franklin Reed, who leaves for a three months' visit in Ariz., was the honor guest of the jolliest of dances last , when Mrs. C. D. Wright of 1031 Virginia road, Lafayette , entertained half a hundred . The rooms were decorated in colors, carried out in flowers le, arranged with palms and . An orchestra furnished the

Reed was also complimented day by Mrs. G. W. Coleman 1111 Leighton avenue, who a bridge party for sixteen

Supper Dance.

cluding as her guests a large mber of prominent society folk theatrical notables, Miss Kath- Clifford celebrated her birthday with a gorgeously-ar- supper dance at the Alexandria Saturday night. the event, which was attended 100 guests, half of the mezza- floor was used. The ballroom a floral garden of white fresias palms and ferns, while the two rooms where the supper was and were arranged with nooks and palms to represent a smart French restaurant, and on each ta- ble was a crystal vase containing pink roses. Every kind of food that an up-to-date restaurant serves was to be had—lobster and crabs en cas- serole, and all kinds of cold meats. There was also a tiny bar, where choice drinks were mixed.

In remembrance of the day, Miss Clifford received many handsome floral pieces, among them being a huge pink basket of mixed flowers from Mr. and Mrs. Claus Spreckels of Coronado, who with Mrs. Frank Hall Moon dropped in during the evening. Among the guests were Mrs. Raymond Mixsell of Pasadena, Edgar Rider Dowell of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson of Chi- cago, Sanford Sachs of San Fran- cisco, Roy Rice of New York, Mr. and Mrs. L. Signitz of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, Miss Mary Miles Minter, Mrs. L. Shelby and Miss Jean Shelby of Santa Barbara. Wid Gunning of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bishop of Pasadena, Mr. Meyerfeld, head of the Orpheum circuit; Harold Lloyd of Longsome Luke fame, Wallace Reid, Al Ros- coe, Elliot Dexter, Owen Moore, Tom Mellon, Miss Bebe Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pickford, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Horkimer, Monsieur Toto, Mrs. J. Jerome, Miss Lottie Pickford, Ken- neth Harlan, Miss Anita King, Misses Constance and Natalie Tal- madge, Dorothy Dalton, Corinne Grant, Louise Glaum, Clara Whip- ple, Sylvia Bremer, Vivian Martin, Mae Murray, Mary McIvor, Lottie Lovello, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Smith, Mme. Lovello, Mrs. Wallace Reid, Mrs. Al Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. George Beban, Jack Holt, William Desmond, Robert L. Leonard, James Young, Howard Mitchell Henry Otto, Pat Calhoun and Paul Conlon.

By Mrs. Armstrong.

Mrs. J. F. Armstrong of No. 1442 Albany street is entertaining today at an elaborate patriotic luncheon in compliment to Mrs. Ethel Allison of Kansas City, and Mrs. J. Franklin Reed, who is leaving shortly for Globe, Ariz., In the center of the table there will be a miniature flag raising, and other patriotic ideas will be carried out. Places will be marked for the honor guests and Mmes. C. D. Wright, J. Dorsey, E. Junt, J. Junt, D. P. Oat- man, E. Martin, E. B. Goetz and Frank Burnett.

Dinner for Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Webber and Mr. and Mrs. William Simon of In- dianapolis, who are spending the winter here, were guests of honor at a handsome dinner party at which Mrs. Percy H. Poor was hostess. A number of former friends from In- diana were included as dinner guests.

By Mrs. Hole.

Mrs. Willits J. Hole is entertain- ing at luncheon today for sixteen girls of the younger set. Last eve- ning she was hostess at a jolly din- ner party at which there were eight guests. Among these were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clark Carlisle, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bagley.

Charles W. Sullivan of the Chicago aviation class, who has recently been sent to San Diego, was the guest of honor at a dinner and card party last evening at which his aunt, Miss Josie Cavanaugh, and his cousin, Mrs. T. J. Wade, were hostesses. He is the house guest of his aunt and also in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade.

Patriotic Masquerade Ball.

The masquerade ball, at the Hotel Virginia in Long Beach, which marked the anniversary of the birth- day of George Washington, drew a large crowd from Los Angeles, Pasa- dena, Long Beach and the Harbor Saturday evening and the ballroom scintillated with striking costumes of the Orient which vied in popularity with the sailor rigs adopted by some of the belles of the evening.—Mrs. L. E. Ritchie, who went as Cleopatra, was beautiful; and Miss Dorothy and Miss Mary Adams in white Pierrette and buttercup costumes made hits, selling candy for the Red Cross. Mrs. T. A. Anderson celebrated Mr. Anderson's birthday with an elabo- rate dinner party that night having for guests Mr. and Mrs. Lou Anger, Miss Lusette Tilt, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Chase, Miss Kathleen Kelly, Porter Johnson, Maurice Kelly, F. E. Knight, and Will Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laughlin of Los Angeles were hosts at a jolly dinner party and Sir Daniel and Lady McMillan enter- tained a distinguished company at dinner including as guests Weber Archibald, Chief Justice of Manitoba, and two or three others.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Spreckels, who have been guests of Mrs. Spreckels's mother, Mrs. Frank Hall Moon, plan to return to Coronado in a couple of days and will take back with them Miss Kathleen Clifford, who will be their guest for the week end and for the society circus to be held at the Coronado Hotel, Satur- day evening.

Miss Madaline Purdon,

Who is one of the many Los Angeles folk now at Coronado.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Ebell Club.

With an entirely piquant little French widow in an outrageously be- coming black bonnet lined with white, a flowing soft black veil, reaching to the hem of her skirt, a cute little white ribbon under her chin, a slim little girlish figure and essentially Parisan feet, to say noth- ing of a long white necklace on the rosary order, upon a woman's club platform is, like the words of a once popular song "Ain't so much as what she says as the cutey way she says it". Such was Mme. Simone Puget at Ebell yesterday, widow of the famous French poet. Not that she did not say a great many inter- esting and arresting things, but her dimples were so distracting. So was her expressive mouth and her red, red lips, her pale face, her limpid eyes, and the little puff of hair that peeped out from her bon- net on either side. Voila, messieurs, and not a one of you there to see.

But it behooved the audience to take her very seriously. No smiles accompanied her piquancy. And a bust of Napoleon adorned the piano. And her subject was "The Women of France." She said it was her first speech in English—and English never sounded so soft and sweet. Likewise her pronunciation of the names of French generals and towns disconcerted us—she had not trans- lated those into comprehensive American.

In enumerating the many ways in which the women of France had risen gallantly to the crisis of war, Mme. Puget mentioned the tradi- tional superiority of Frenchmen, their graceful manner of keeping the ladies in their place by a literary celebrity before the war advocating impractical fashions, making them precious images, and preferring them "with restricted movement." But it was, she said, just a game. Those very women who had figured as luxurious dolls were the ones who had been sternly fighting for three years behind the lines with amazing efficiency under the most uncomfortable conditions, and 400 of whom had lost their lives actually on the field. Mme. Puget said the French women considered it as in- decent to wear showy clothes in war time as to give an hilarious entertainment in a house of mourn- ing. She announced her entire agreement with the recent remark of a French minister that women should devote themselves to ma- ternity after the war. She won a round of applause when she de- plored the idea that the average foreigner had held of Frenchwomen, associating them all with the Moulin Rouge idea, which she said had been so empatically disproven by their showing in war service.

Woman's City Club.

"Public Affairs" Day at the Wo- man's City Club proved highly in- teresting. Dr. Jessie Russell was first introduced and urged the wo- men to take a more ferocious in- terest in the work of the courts and acquaint themselves with the pro- cedure, which, she declared, was well within feminine intelligence. She asked them to do their duty by the juries and not to make a matinee performance of the hearings; to re- member their responsibilities, to re- member that there were two sides to every question, and that, particu- larly in the case of the young, to remember that someone else, prob- ably the parents, had been in fault.

Dr. Jessie Russell then introduced Judge Sidney Reeve of the Juvenile Court who gave a most interesting resume of the many departments which come under his jurisdiction, and the many difficulties they are called upon to cope with. He paid a tribute to Miss Orfa Shonts, his appointee as woman referee for the girls' court, and drew applause with the information that out of several thousand cases there had been but three queries anent her decisions— and that a marked effect was a much smaller percentage of "re- peaters." No man, he said, attended that court unless as a witness. He laid the responsibility for nearly all the trouble to home conditions, heredity, and incompetent parents. He told of the great need for en- larged institutions, but warned his hearers to watch carefully the bills to be again brought before the next legislature by "institutionaly mind- ed persons" and quoted a dangerous clause in one of them which provides that, upon the opinion of any teacher etc. a child which "may become delinquent" can be taken over by the authorities. Judge Reeve expressed his gratitude to the newspapers which no longer ex- ploited the cases of these young people for sensational purposes. He pointed out the distinction between dependent and delinquent children, all of whom come through the Juvenile Court, since its wide ramifi- cations make of it a genuine "family court".

Council of Jewish Women.

The Council of Jewish Women will hold a meeting at Temple B'Nai B'rith on Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m., when "Art in the Home and the Public Schools" will be discussed by Mrs. W. H. Bowden, and Mrs. William Hollzer will contribute some vocal solos. It will be followed by a social hour.

The P.-T. A. Federation.

Dr. Jessie Russell, State presi- dent of the Parent-Teacher Associa- tion, was the guest of honor at a re- ception given by the Glendale P.-T. A. federation on Thursday last, when a long programme, including re- ports, speeches and entertainment was enjoyed.

Daughters of the British Empire.

The Queen Alexandria Chapter of the British Daughters will hold a reception at Hotel Alexandria on Thursday afternoon next at 4 p.m. The patronesses of the occasion will be Mesdames Christopher M. Gordon, C. C. Gardiner, C. C. Ashley, A. C. Billicke, E. R. Brainard, A. M. Chaffey, Daniel Clark, A. B. Downe, R. Scott, N. Williamson, A. T. Mc- Cord, A. E. Webb, R. W. Vincent, E. R. McGregor, W. A. McIntosh, J. C. Kavanaugh, W. C. Ponsette, Joseph Maw and Miss I. Flood. Mrs. Gordon is the regent of the chapter.

IN :: "THE :: MORAL :: LAW."

Gladys Brockwell has Two Roles.

She's very good as the bad girl, And not very bad as the good girl, in the stirring photoplay that opened at the Alhambra on Sunday.

FLASHES.

News and Views.

CHAPLIN INCORPORATES.

FAMOUS COMEDIAN MAY EX- PAND AS PRODUCER.

By Grace Kingsley.

And now Charlie Chaplin, the world's most famous film come- dian, may extend his activities as a picture producer. In accord- ance with plans which he had had in mind for some time, Charles Chap- lin and others yesterday incorpo- rated under the name of the Chaplin Studios, Inc., the members of the new organization being, besides Charles Chaplin, his brother Sidney Chaplin and Thomas Herrington. The capital stock is $200,000, with $300 subscribed.

Mr. Chaplin at present is under contract with the First National Ex- hibitor's Circuit, of which T. L. Tally of this city is vice-president, to pro- duce twelve pictures. The incorpo- ration above mentioned will in no way affect Chaplin's contract, ac- cording to both parties; but was done merely as a matter of busi- ness convenience, especially as Sid Chaplin will himself go into the production end of the business, making comedies with himself in the leading role. It is also possi- ble that other features may be made at the Chaplin studios.

In regard to extra production at the Chaplin studio, Sid Chaplin, who is Charlie's manager, stated last night that it was possible, if a good dramatic story were offered to the new corporation, Mr. Chaplin might act as its producer, though there was nothing definite at pres- ent in the matter.

Mr. Tally announced last night that Mr. Chaplin has been steadily at work during the past few months, and that he will within a few days be able to announce the name and release date of the first picture made by the comedian under the banner of the First National Exhibitors' Cir- cuit.

Orpheum.

That wizard playlet of Allan Brooks's "Dollars and Sense," con- tinues to be the headliner, by sev- eral heads, of the Orpheum bill this week. It would probably be the headliner on any bill, no matter how excellent.

Dropping down a few thousand feet, we come to those two nifty lads, Ben Bernie and Phil Baker, who play the violin and accordion to a clever little, patter obligato. Bernie plays the violin exquisitely when he gives himself a chance, and Baker takes no mean advantage of the violin, as he plays his accordion with the muffler on. They scored a hit.

That fascinating professional Ha- waiian, Toots Paka, brings back her company of Hawaiian singers, her tame volcano, her ukulele and her hula dance, and presents a charm- ing act, as usual.

An act which seemed to please the house was that of the Four Marx Brothers and company, in "Home Again." There is a boy in the act who plays deaf and dumb—also the harp. The fact that he doesn't talk is probably no deprivation, judging from the conversation of the other members. The company does some singing for no reason—but they need neither reason nor excuse, as it is very pleasing.

A new "watching the movies" act is performed amusingly by Adelaide Boothby, aided by Charles Everdean at the piano. But a real blue-rib- boner is the travesty illustrated stereopticon song, "When We Gather the Onions, Mary Darling," or some- thing like that. The only fault of this number is that it moves a bit too slowly, and should be speeded up.

Juggling irrelevant articles like billiard cues and plates, Selma Braats has a well worked out rou- tine; and while a juggling act usu- ally has the audience waiting out, Selma holds them till the last whisk of her dainty petticoat, the last bounce of the rubber ball off her dainty head. She should pay more attention to her make-up, however, as her arms and shoulders appear very red.

Besides Allan Brooks, the hold- overs include George Moore and Cor- delia Haager and Comfort and King.

DRAMA.

Early!

CRACK SHOW AT MASON.

"SHOW OF WONDERS" GOES LIKE A HOUSE AFIRE.

By Henry Christeen Warnack.

It's a shame not to have the wealth of all the languages in the world instead of being a stammerer in one faint tongue when it comes to a show like the "Show of Wonders" at the Mason this week. Also it is too bad not to have it reviewed by an authority like Will Wyatt himself, or Dustin Farnum or Charlie Murray or just anybody with the right view point and the proper amount of experi- ence.

The show had a great drawback for me. I had to sit away back in the second row. If I had only been twenty years younger and could have had a seat in the front how, I might have had a different story to tell. As it was, I was determined to find out the truth about that show or die.

By these few scattering remarks you may surmise the truth for your- self which is that this glowing and glorious entertainment is a girl show, getting its name from the fact that one girl is a wonder and that two or more girls are wonders. That is about all I know about the subject, it having been my lifelong habit to avoid seaside resorts and other frivolous pastimes. In fact, if I have to go on Broadway I circle away around to the block of my destina- tion by way of Hill or Spring street and then I could not be lured to the west side of Broadway on a bet. They tell me you meet them there. May be so.

About fifteen years ago appeared the "Love Letters of Billetus." They were supposed to have been written by an early Greek maiden to Sappho and to have been dug up from that riotous lady's tomb. People with a taste for the exotic in literature who had perforce buried Swinburne and Oscar Wilde, took to the Greek classic like women to knitting and then it was discovered that these ancient and amorous passages had been penned by "Bill" Jones of Topeka. In the "Show of Wonders" we have an oriental bazaar in one scene and a Burmese temple in an- other, but the girls were made in America. So was the beautiful hell fire let loose in the brilliant scene of "over the top." In this scene the sight of thousands of airplanes above the German trenches is stag- gering in its effect. They hover over the field of death in a shining brood.

Of course the show is dazzlingly replete with every trick of musical extravaganza and it has the joy of a clear idea which, no matter how absurd, is always saving, if for no other reason than it preserves unity. In this case the idea is simply a cave man of stupendous proportions who fights for a safe distance from the haunts of men. One day she meets a male mortal and tastes her first kiss. After that the cave man chases through the whole play, making every man he meets kiss his daughter until she gets one that tastes like the original where- upon he compels him to marry her.

The part of Eve is taken by Vir- ginia Smith and the original Eve was as good looking as Virginia, it is no wonder that Adam fell for the apple, and it is also a fact that no particular improvement has been made over the first model. The wonder of Virginia's success is that she is only the understudy of Flora Lee. Flora sprained her ankle at Salt Lake and, while we wish her a speedy recovery and hate to start up the fires of professional jealousy, we have no earthly desire to change Eves in Los Angeles.

Of course the Howard boys are here again. Willie's voice is getting steadily better and Eugene's has not deteriorated to any extent. Willie's imitation of Al Jolson continues to be better than the original and his comedy retains its drollery and spice.

Tom Lewis, an old favorite where- ever a footlight flares, has a big part that gets over strong, and Charles Wright gives us an imitation of George Monroe that has all the flavor of the original, and likewise the bulk.

The costumes are up to the girls, which is going some, and everything about the show has an atmosphere of freshness which is hard to pre- serve west of the Rockies.

The biggest Mason audience of the

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FILMS.

Grauman's.

"FLARE-UP SAL."

"THE SIGN INVISIBLE" AT TALLY'S BROADWAY.

By Antony Anderson.

The spacious days and ways of '49 are unrolled for us in "Flare-up Sal," the motion picture that holds the big white curtain at Grauman's this week. I know not if Jimtown, that glad, mad, bad little mining place, is still on the map. But since it is now brightly lit by lime in a photoplay, 'tis enough for you and me.

In "Flare-up Sal" we are intro- duced to the picturesque crew be- loved and immortalized by Bret Harte—or at any rate to men and women cast in the same. The gen- tlemanly gambler, the soak, the painted ladies, a milieu bizarre and impossible, at once attractive and repellant. Into all this drifts Sally Jo from somewhere in Missouri, and toward Sally is drawn a road ranger —otherwise a bandit—daringly dis- guised as a minister of the gospel.

Behold! the figures are placed, the canvas is mounted, the pictures be- gin in rapid and exciting succession —wild midnight rides, escapes, gun- fights, fires, adventures that stir the blood and quicken the pulses. No wonder the English and the French —and the Hottentots, for all I know to the contrary—like our Far West shows. But they don't like 'em bet- ter than we do ourselves.

Dorothy Dalton plays Flare-up Sal very well indeed, making her a splendid, sulky, handsome creature, a woman any man would like to tame. She is finely supported. The picturization is full of light and bril- liancy, with a certain hardness that befits the magnificent scenes among the redwoods of California.

"The Sign Invisible."

So many men are denying the existence of God in motion pictures this week that we are led to believe that the time spirit is at work, and that the great war is stabbing us awake to a realization of something outside ourselves that impels us to- ward righteousness.

The hero-villain in "Loaded Dice," of which I wrote yesterday, denied God and died. The surgeon in "The Sign Invisible," now running at Tally's Broadway, does the same, and is almost plunged into destruc- tion. This photoplay has some of the qualities of a tract, and is just about as unconvincing as a tract. No one has yet found God by the path of arguments. It is when "The Sign Invisible" forgets its mission and turns into a wonderfully interesting play—which, I rejoice to say, is most of the time—that we begin to believe in it. The visions that come to the surgeon and to Lone Deer, the Kanuck, are not out of place, for it was through such signs that Paul was converted.

"The Sign Invisible" brings us into the vast northern country, among people rude and simple, actuated by primitive and powerful impulses, and there are stirring and highly dramatic scenes in the play—a clash of the dynamics of men, so to speak.

Hedda Nova has not a great deal to do as Winona, the beautiful In- dian girl, but the talented young Russian actress does that little with a fine understanding. It is to Mitch- ell Lewis that the chief honors fall. His role is that of the splendid Ka- nuck, a man at once tempestuously fierce and gently forgiving, one of nature's noblest products. Lewis enacts the role superbly.

"The Sign Invisible," despite some slow moments, is a picture well worth your attention.

GENERAL REVIEWS.

Pantages.

With the spectacular tabloid mu- sical comedy, "The Bride Shop," starring Eddie Vogt of "Midnight Follies" fame, as the headliner, Pantages is offering a "knock-'em- dead, hit-tha-bullseye" vaudeville bill this week that should do near- capacity business even in the face of a deluge.

"The Bride Shop" has been adver- tised as the highest-priced act on the Pantages circuit, and after you've seen it you give the press agent credit for having told the truth for once in his gay young life, for it fairly oozes with oodles of "class." It's a girl show extraordinary, and seats in the bald-headed row should be selling far above par by the time the missionaries at the opening yes- terday afternoon have spread their gospel of pulchritude.

Flo and Ollie Walters present a sister act that has punch and ap- peal. They feature new melodies in the latest costumes. Jack Kennedy and company bring to Los Angeles a rapid-fire comedy with numerous farcical situations. "Don't Do It" is its title and it is crammed and jammed with humor. Tom Kelly, billed as "That Irishman," gives a splendid impersonation of "The Man from Tipperary." He has a type of dry wit all his own.

Hippodrome.

All the fight fans in the city will make the Hippodrome their head- quarters this week, for the pro- gramme includes a three-round box- ing exhibition that will make Ver- non sit up and take notice. "Hog- gan's Chance" is the name of the sketch, and it was written by Wil- lard Mack, which assures you of some punch. The Nick Santoro com- pany "do themselves proud" in their presentation.

Nat Walsh and Elvia Rand are here again with their programme of light and grand opera selections. They are real Los Angeles favorites. Dave Thursby must be given the credit for the most of the laughs, for with his "putty" nonsense he makes a decided hit.

Valle, the French accordeonist, plays true to billing, and furnishes a varied bit of entertainment that is all that was promised. His rendi- tion of "Home Sweet Home" accord- ing to the many countries is interest- ing and "different." A surprise act from start to finish is "A Night in the Swamp" and while a big share of slapstick comedy is offered, it is good fun.

The Alvarez Duo, billed as equilib- rists, are just that and a lot more. Handstand feats on a swinging tra- peze, balancing acts on a moving bar are something out of the or-

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MARTYRED PEOPLES.

Three peoples have been martyred during the present war by the ruthless invasions of the Central Powers. When a peace of victory is finally achieved Germany must answer for her inhumanities in Belgium; Austria for the depopulation of Serbia; and Turkey for the almost total annihilation of the Armenians. Western attention has been centered chiefly on Belgium, but it now appears that the German atrocities there, unspeakable as they have been, are not so hideous as those which have been inflicted on the Serbians and Armenians. Germany has enslaved and deported the native population of Belgium; but Austria and Bulgaria have combined for the extermination of the Serbian race.

If the war continues for another year with Serbia in possession of its arch enemies, it will be impossible to repatriate the Serbian people, for it will have ceased to exist. The same is true to an equal extent with Armenia; but the slaughter has been greater there because the population was greater. In six years the native population of Armenia has sunk from 16,000,000 persons to less than 800,000. Those who have approved this policy of extermination must be made to settle. The German, Austrian and Turkish peoples have approved and taken part in this wholesale murder; they should be forced to pay a huge indemnity.

WHERE DO YOU STAND?

A local pastor based his Sunday sermon on the subject, "Two Preachers, Christ and the Kaiser." The line between the right and the wrong is never difficult to discern. There are just two principles at work in the world, that of truth and that of falsehood. Life, as we know it, is an eternal conflict between negative and positive forces, between darkness and light, between good and evil. Humanity is trying to lift itself out of the mire of temporary injustice and tyranny, viciousness and ignorance, onto the smiling heights of truth and light. Whether or not one may claim to be a follower of either Christ or the Kaiser every one must of necessity prove himself an advocate of the spirit of Kaiserism or of Christianity. There is no middle course.

JUST WATCH!

A very unwise, unpatriotic member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers has appealed to the local Labor Council to support a few disgruntled employees of the Southern California Edison Company in their efforts to bring about a strike, claiming that, war or no war, there is nothing in the constitution of the brotherhood which forbids the "right" of unions to strike, regardless of time or place. Watch how this treasonable utterance works in loyal Los Angeles—just watch!

WHOSE FAULT?

A young clerk left home to go to work and, on his way to the car line, stopped for half a minute to watch an automobile driver try to extricate his machine from a mud hole. The clerk missed his car by a quarter of a minute, was late to work, quarreled with his boss, got behind in his accounting, didn't have time to take lunch and went home at night, tired and cross, telling his wife that everything had worked against him that day. But whose fault was it?

DIRECT ACTION.

"Work or get out of the country," is the order with which Sheriff Smith meets the I.W.W. and other brands of loafers who come browsing into Tulare county. Scores of men who have refused either to work or to leave have been arrested and, whenever possible, compelled to earn their living. No compromise about Smith. That's direct action—at which the I.W.W. cannot consistently protest, for direct action is their philosophy and religion.

IN THE BOOTS.

What is needed in this country is closer connection between business and government in the conduct of the war. The government should call to its aid men qualified by training and experience for the emergency. It does not lie in the boots of any one man to say that he is equal to the herculean task of being the whole thing.

MUST WE BE DRIVEN?

The City Council of Defense is prepared for the drive this week to compel Angelenos to pay their income taxes. We predict that the plan will not be difficult to carry out. Surely the loyal citizens of Los Angeles will not need to be driven to do their simple duty in this matter.

TWAIN PHILOSOPHY.

Mr. Hohenzollern is probably a student of Mark Twain. That great author says, "A king has no proper business with reforming. His best policy is to keep things as they are; and if he can't do that, he ought to try to make them worse than they are."

THE NEW WAY.

A man troubled with insomnia cured himself by watching the Fords go by. It is better than the old-fashioned remedy of counting a flock of sheep as they jump over a fence. But we are for both Fords and sheep.

THE CASTOR OIL EXCITEMENT.

Castor oil has a record of having stirred up more internal disturbance than any other one thing in American history; but until this particular year of grace its baleful work has been more or less confined to the very youthful members of society. For the past few weeks, however, this innocent appearing product of an abominated Hindoo bean has been working the mischief with the whole American body politic.

Uncle Sam announced some time ago that he would need a lot of castor oil, millions of gallons of it, to lubricate the motors of the vast armada of airplanes he was building for his assault upon the Hun. Instead of asking the children of the country to Hooverize on castor oil, as might have been anticipated in line with the general Federal policies, it was decided to secure the whole of the necessary castor oil surplus by the undeniably effective method of increasing production.

Now there can be no doubt that the younger generation would gladly and unanimously have responded to a suggestion that they cut down their castor oil consumption to help win the war. It did seem, too, that Uncle Sam was missing a rather rare opportunity to successfully put into practice his theories on conservation, but Uncle Sam, of course, has his own ideas on the subject and with these ideas there must, naturally, be no cavil in such a time of emergency.

To understand the disturbance that is now gripping the country it is necessary to recite briefly some of the steps in the government's castor oil programme. When the Signal Corps branch of the War Department, into whose hands the problem of getting the needed oil was entrusted, began to take stock of the castor oil situation it was discovered that most of the the finished product acually on hand was either in the drug stores or in small bottles in the medicine cabinets of the ultimate consumers' parents. A limited amount was located in the hands of dealers in lubricants, castor oil being much used in racing automobiles and, to a certain extent, in high-speed machines in factories. Its excessive cost by comparison with other lubricants and the narrow range of its uses had, until the coming of the war to America and the consequent need of the oil for battle planes, limited the demand, except for medicinal purposes.

As recently as a dozen years ago castor beans were grown as a commercial crop in several sections of the United States, including Southern California, where relics of the industry are still to be found in the shape of trees that have persisted in coming up year after year in the neglected lots of cities and towns and along washes and in other unfrequented places in the country. The importation of the beans from India finally put a stop to their growth in America, due to the cheap labor conditions in the former country. At the outbreak of the war the United States is declared to have imported about 5000 tons of castor beans a month, these being practically all received by one firm in New York City and converted into oil in three mills in the eastern part of the country. At the present time, owing to the scarcity of shipping, only an occasional shipload arrives. This scarcity has been reflected for some time in the increasing cost of castor oil for little Mary, although there has been no noticeable complaint as yet from that particular direction.

Uncle Sam figured that a hundred thousand acres in different parts of the country would have to be planted to castor beans if he was to be sure of oil enough for his war planes. Different amounts were assigned to various States and a plan was evolved whereby contractors could assume responsibility for certain areas of cultivation and make arrangements with growers as subcontractors. A minimum price of $3.50 per bushel of forty-six pounds, f.o.b. nearest railway delivery point, was guaranteed the contractors and a ruling made that the actual growers on contract should be paid not less than $3 a bushel. California was awarded two contracts for 5000 acres each, one being taken by a large land holder who proposes to handle his entire assignment on his own land, and the other by an association of Santa Barbara men. The latter entered into an arrangement with the government by which, instead of paying subcontractor growers a flat price of $3 a bushel, the latter would receive the full price finally fixed by the Federal authorities, less 10 per cent. for the association charges.

This appeared simple enough at the beginning, but that was before the complications set in. Somebody (one of the pestiferous German spies, likely as not,) started the report some weeks ago that the proposed castor bean planting, the fixing of minimum prices for castor beans and all the rest of it, was bunkum. One thing is certain—the children of the country didn't do it, for, even in the face of the early prospect of having an ocean of castor oil stored up in the country, it goes without saying that American boys and girls would never be guilty of such an unpatriotic act. The thing, suffice to say, spread about from person to person until a great many believed it. This canard was set aside by the dispatches in the newspapers, but other rumors fully as calculated to keep growers from planting castor beans took its place.

It was said that the government, after many experiments, had decided not to use castor oil in its airplane motors; that cheaper substitutes had been found; that discoveries of ways to mix castor oil with other oils had made unnecessary more than a small portion of the originally-intended acreage. Agricultural college professors, farm advisers and others rather looked up to as authorities began to mutter warnings against what they called the "castor-bean boom." The leader of the State's farm advisers solemnly assured an audience at San Bernardino that more than enough castor beans had been contracted for already, and that castor-bean talk now was German propaganda designed to keep growers from planting food crops. The effect of all this upon the efforts of the castor-bean contractors to induce growers to plant the beans may easily be imagined. Here in Southern California people were beginning to think that for anyone to plant castor beans would be both insanity and treason.

All is now well, however, for the long-delayed and eagerly-yearned-for word from the War Department has been sent out and the bewildered contractors have documentary evidence to prove that they are not boomers or agents of the Kaiser. Assurance was received from Washington last week that enough imported seed to plant California's 10,000 acres is now on the way to the Coast. Every effort will now be put forth to get this State's designated planting under way. The danger of overplanting, which has been worrying the farm experts so much, is dissipated by the official assertion that the War Department will agree to buy no more beans from this State than are produced on its allotted acreage. It can now be gently explained to the same unduly-excited experts that the government's declination to accept any more general contracts does not mean that the subcontracts necessary to fulfill the requirements of the general contractors are taboo. It appears, too, that alarm about the castor bean crowding out food crops was a bit foolish, anyhow, as castor beans have a way of thriving on land that is unsuited to the successful growing of ordinary crops. Besides all this, there isn't enough in castor-bean raising, even at the present emergency prices, to warrant the use of the best growing lands.

From the Face of the Earth.

THE FALL OF JERICHO.

To those whose study of the Bible and its wondrous stories has been stimulated by the operations of the British troops in the Holy Land, the capture of Jericho by Gen. Allenby will give an added thrill; for, excepting Jerusalem, there is no city in that historic land that so appeals to the religious faith of humanity.

Before going to Jerusalem on his pilgrimage from the manger to the cross of Calvary, Jesus paid Jericho a visit with apparent regret, leaving the sinful Jericho to weep over the self-satisfied Jerusalem that killed the prophets and stoned them that were to call them to repentance.

It is but fifteen miles from Jerusalem to Jericho, the latter lying in the lowest point in the Holy Land, while Jerusalem is situated on the heights.

It was of Jericho that sacred history relates an incident which has been the subject of debate in theological circles from that day to this—the debate whether "tainted money" should be accepted for church work. Joshua destroyed the city, but the vessels of gold and of brass were retained and placed in the Lord's treasury. There were those in that early day, who thought a sacrilege had been committed in this disposition of these valuable articles.

Another rebuke was administered by the Master to the holier-than-thous when he lodged with the publican and sinner, Zacchaeus, and was railed at by the crowd. It will be recalled that Jesus was journeying through Jericho when Zacchaeus, who was one of the chief publicans and a very wealthy man, wanted to see the Master. But Zacchaeus was very short in stature, and on account of the press of the multitude he could not see over the heads of the great crowd. So Zacchaeus ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree. Jesus called on him to come down in haste, and Zacchaeus cried: "Behold, O Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; if I have wrongfully exacted aught of any man I restore fourfold." From that day to this it has been no disgrace to "abide in the house" of a sinner. For on that occasion Jesus said to Zacchaeus: "Today is salvation come to this house, for as much as he is also a son of Abraham.

It was along Jericho road that one of the most impressive parables of the Savior was delivered. When "a certain man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and he fell among robbers, who both stripped him and beat him and departed leaving him half dead." A priest passed by on the other side, and a Levite also, but the good Samaritan "bound up his wounds and poured on them oil and wine." From that day to this this wonderful application of the doctrine of Christian charity has illumined the world.

St. Paul, speaking of faith and what it could accomplish, said: "By faith the walls of Jericho fell down after they had been compassed about for seven days." Joshua relates how the children of Israel made a long blast with a ram's horn, and when they heard the sound of the trumpet all the people shouted with a great shout, and the walls of Jericho fell flat. The city was burned by Joshua, son of Nun, and no one was saved but Rahab, the harlot, and her father's household—and all that she had did Joshua save, "and she dwelt in the midst of Israel unto this day because she hid the messengers whom Joshua sent to spy out Jericho."

It was to Jericho that the captives were brought when it was called the City of the Palm Trees. It was at Jericho that the King told the servants of David that they should tarry until their beards be grown and then return. When Joshua was old and stricken with years he sent his people over the Jordan to Jericho, where they engaged the Amorites, Perizzites, Canaanites, Hittites, Girgashites, Hivites and Jebusites and prevailed against them.

Joshua implored the congregation to "Go view the land and Jericho;" he made the ark of the covenant to rest in the waters of Jordan and the people passed over right against Jericho; to Joshua Jehovah said: "See I have given into thy hand Jericho and the king thereof and the mighty men of valor." And Joshua charged them with an oath at that time saying, "Cursed be the man before Jehovah that raiseth up and buildeth this city Jericho." Joshua sent men from Jericho to Ai, "which is beside Bethaven," and told them to go up and spy out the land.

It was at Jericho that Jesus at various times counseled with his disciples—Simon, who was called Peter, and Andrew, his brother; James, the son of Zebedee, and John, his brother; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas, the doubter, and Matthew, the publican; James, the son of Alpheus, and Lebbaeus, whose surname was Thaddaeus; Simon, the Canaanite, and Judas Iscariot, who afterward betrayed him.

Jericho and Jerusalem are indissolubly linked in the life story of Jesus. Jericho was a wicked city, but the people were blessed by him. Jerusalem was altogether righteous, and in that city he was put to death. Jericho was at the other end of the road, leading down from Jerusalem, and when it was destroyed by Joshua only Rahab, the outcast, was saved. She is said to have led a new life after she left the city, and she became one of the well-known women of the Bible. For "Salmon begat Boaz of Rahab," and all down the line to Jesse, who begat David the King; then through the genealogy to Jacob, who "begat Joseph, the husband of Mary, of whom was born Jesus, who is called Christ." That is her place in the lineage of Jesus.

As the walls of Jericho fell when surrounded by the faithful, at the blowing of the ram's horns, so for a second time the walls have literally been razed, and civilization has entered. It is as if the magicians and the soothsayers of that early day had returned to the Holy Land to tell wonderful things of the City of God. Its fall and with it the destruction of the hopes of the treacherous Turk mean that another blessing is to be visited on the world.

CLASSICUS BIOGRAPHICUS.

George Washington was intensely annoyed whenever he found a lot of loose tacks in his bed slippers. Tax without representation was what he kicked against most.

Alexander Hamilton grew frantic if he discovered burrs in his bath robe, especially aaron burrs.

Gen. Grant's especial aversion was against having his chair pulled from under him when he was about to sit down at a banquet.

King Edward VII, it is said, disliked having ice water, or even cracked ice, poured down his back, inside his collar. He said his choler rose.

Stephen Girard refused point blank to read any book before the leaves were cut.
—[Frank Carlos Griffith in Judge.

HIS LETTER.

BY MARY MERRICK SMALE.

Your letter came, my mother dear, so intimate and warm,
I almost smelled the clover blooms that grow on father's farm.
I know you want me, too, at home, that father needs me much,
But in this land of blood and tears there are a million such.
They have no farms for those are gone, destroyed by shot and shell,
They have no sons to give again, for they are gone as well.
And so I know you'll understand before this letter's through,
I do for them what in their place I'd have them do for you.

The trenches, as you fear, are bad, but sometimes quite a bit
Of real relief comes in the way of getting used to it.
And germs, believe me, they are here, but still they're not so bad
As is the one that caused this war, the one the Kaiser had.
If learned men could catch it soon there'd sure be better things,
That mangy, mongrel, yellow germ that's called "the right of Kings."
In my short span of soldier days I've lived to see the time,
When vengeance is a virtue sweet, where mercy is a crime.

As the accursed Boches come, around this wreck of worlds,
Flit wraiths of Belgium's mangled babes, her ruined, sightless girls;
'Tis then I pray that I may send, for I shall shoot so well,
The foul soul of some Prussian beast along the road to hell.
The salt of vengeance on my lips, as sweet as love dreams are,
Shall linger long to glad my soul when I have crossed the bar.
Mankind at grips with teeth of steel, speak, if there any is,
In all the matrix of this world, who's big enough for this.

The age of peace seems distant far, since we have learned to know,
'Twixt devils and the thorn-crowned Christ how far man has to go.
Then, pray that I may cherish still the cause for which I came,
And help to right this ancient wrong that set the world aflame.
But should the Prussians get me, mother, then I'll come home to you,
And pitch my tent and camp and wait till dad and you are through;
I'll creep into my bed at home, spread by your loving care,
Although you'll never find a print to tell you I've been there,
So do not weep and break my heart! Be brave and smile with me,
Because I died to save to earth man's Christ-bought liberty.

TURBULENT IDEALISTS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Idealists are very disturbing. They are responsible for so much trouble in the world. Comfortable content is anathema to them. They are always stirring things up; nothing is ever quite as it should be; they are always deploring present conditions, agitating for vast changes, exposing causes for discontent, holding forth sublime promises highly improbable of fulfillment.

Russia is suffering from a plethora of idealists today. Ireland has bred them by the thousand. And they are always so active, so strenuously persistent, so agitating. They always reek of dissatisfaction. They have a most disconcerting genius for seeing and appreciating all the wrongs and belittling all the rights of the conditions of their time.

Of course it will be argued that all the great advances and improvements of the world are brought about by the idealists; that without them progress would be impossible. It can be conscientiously claimed that Jesus Christ was the greatest idealist of all, the most drastic disturber of smug content. But Jesus Christ was a practical idealist, a very logical idealist. The foundation of his teaching was "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's and unto God the things that are God's." His idealism was to make man fit for a beautiful world. The average modern idealist yearns to make over the world to be fit for a dubious mankind.

The only idealists that have contributed to the world's advancement have been the practical idealists—the men who could do, as well as talk; the men with their feet securely on the earth while their eyes looked upward and onward. The men, like Jesus Christ, who could argue with sure reasoning, flout the scoffers with calm logic and give proof of their precepts in their own practice.

Kerensky of Russia was a good example of the modern ebullient, impractical idealist. He was like one of those inspirational amateur architects who design the plans for a house which the most experienced builders could never carry out. He had taken no account of the weight-carrying power of girders, no cognizance of the hard limitations of construction. He overlooked the kitchen and the plumbing altogether, thought of the mural decorations and forgot the closets and bathrooms that make the house habitable. And so as the bewildered builders essay to follow the plans, the building totters in insecurity, and the ordinary conveniences are missing. But his picture of the proposed building looked so pleasant, so artistic, that the fact that the scenic stream was designed to run up hill, that foreign trees and shrubs which could never stand the climate were part of the landscape gardening, escaped the notice of the enthused patron who was to pay for and occupy the home.

Madero of Mexico was another pathetic example of this sort of idealist. Madero had such wonderfully imaginative pictures of a regenerated Mexico in that picturesque brain of his. But he, too, was a fancy architect who had omitted to study building. He, too, provided the pretty elevation plans, without the builder's minute specifications. The architect must not only have inspired ideas for beautiful buildings, but he must know every department of the various trades employed. He must specify the exact amount and quality of the cement, the size and type of wood, the exact quality and arrangement of steel reinforcements. He must plan for doors and stairways and fire escapes, cellars, kitchens, pantries, bathrooms, and his windows must take cognizance of the sun, the atmosphere, changing weather, scenery.

The world today is suffering from a mushroom crop of idealists who want to make over and rebuild everything. They are for tearing down all the old buildings of government, thought and tradition, for sweeping the ocean backward and making the rivers run towards their source. They think beautifully; they talk beautifully; they draw beautiful pictures; but the practical carpenters and bricklayers and plumbers are in despair.

Every country, State and city has its rich crop of fancy idealists intent upon wreaking sweeping changes—not to be an idealist has almost become a reproach. It is curious that these ardent dreamers should cull so wide a hearing in these days of stern, practical need, these days in which deeds speak so much louder than words. But they are positively modish. There are at least a dozen new panaceas for all human ills being put forward by urgent, agitating idealists in this city every day—everyone of them guaranteed to cure every kind of complaint. Russia seems to be recklessly trying the lot for us.

"Man, proud man,
Dressed in a little brief authority,
Most ignorant of what he's most assured—
His glassy essence, like an angry ape,
Plays such fantastic tricks before high heaven
As to make the angels weep."

RIPPLING RHYMES.

DON'T GET EXCITED.

We're building up a mighty force
to do some heavy scrappin'; and
now and then our work is coarse—
mistakes are bound to happen. We
haven't made of war a trade like
some bloodthirsty nations; so we get
sidetracked and delayed in handling
guns and rations. If, while we arm
two million men, that Wilhelm may
be blighted, we pull a bonehead
now and then, oh, friends, don't get
excited! Consider that for fifty
years we've spent our summers
farming; we've slopped our hogs
and fed our steers, while war-struck
kings were arming. We've strung
along on peaceful jobs our barns and
silos filling, while Europe mobilized
her mobs and set the fall guys drilling. Gore is a thing we all abhor;
we thought we'd never shed it; so
we are green at making war—perhaps it's to our credit. Oh, we have
sandburs in our feet and hayseed in
our tresses, and we have raised a
lot of wheat and tamed the wildernesses. And war's a graft entirely
strange to us and all our leaders,
who spent our lifetime at the grange
a-pushing plows and seeders. So, if
we mess around a bit and cross our
wires and blunder, tell me, oh, critic, while you crit, is it so great a
wonder?
WALT MASON.

A FAIR OFFER.

Day by day an Ontario housewife
saw her household and kitchen furniture slowly disappear. One morning when Tommy, son of the borrower, appeared at the back door
with the statement, "Ma wants the
wash-boiler," the housewife determined to act. "You can tell your
ma that when she brings back what
she has already borrowed I will lend
her the boiler." In a little while
Tommy reappeared. "Ma wants to
know what she borrowed." "There
is a pound of flour," began the other, "a peck of potatoes, a cup of sugar, a can of coffee, a half-pound of
lard, some onions and butter and
spices; the screw-driver, the hatchet,
a pair of scissors and"—she paused
reflectively—"three spools of thread,
a paper of needles and——" But
Tommy was gone. Presently he
rapped on the back door again. "Ma
says for you to write them down. I
forgot some of them." Whereupon
the housewife sat down with a pencil and patiently made an alphabetical list of all the articles she could
remember. Tommy took the list
and disappeared. A half-hour later
he once more appeared at the back
door and announced: "Ma says if
you will lend her the wash-boiler
to carry them in, she'll bring them
home."

Hooverisms.

Don't bite off more than you can chew.
Pet pigs instead of poodles.
Have that sweet tooth drawn.
More corn bread; less corned beef.
Save the bacon; the boys in France will bring it home.
When handed a lemon, don't ask for sugar.
Bigger holes in the doughnuts.
An apple a day keeps the Kaiser away.
Meatless — wheatless — eat less.—[Oregon Journal.

An Ideal Family.

We've a Hooverized card in the window,
A starred service-flag at the door;
While bend buttons dwell in our every lapel
And sugar we simply abhor.
—[Philadelphia Ledger.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Who said drought?

God surely loves California.

And now for some warm days.

How are you enjoying your [illegible] ley?

If Germany has bitten off [illegible] can she masticate it?

In the fish market the hooks [illegible] to be kept for the fish.

Don't it jar you to see "Gen[illegible] Bill Stone posing as a patriot?

The Kaiser says he will be in Paris in April. Make it April 1.

Why not call the [illegible] afflicting the world Pro[illegible]?

Pure food for thought is another thing we shall need when the war is over.

The war will never be won by the men who take a free ride [illegible] auto in a daylight parade.

You can tell the new [illegible] by the fact that the picture of Grant is printed on their [illegible].

We might as well get ready for that third Liberty Loan. It is coming down the pike. Prepare to [illegible].

Love of country must [illegible] of the attributes of a [illegible] that barks when things are not right.

If Carranza and the Kaiser get mixed up it will serve both of them right! Why not tie them [illegible] by the tails like a pair of cats and throw them over the fence?

A shortage of tramps is reported. No trouble about that: the [illegible] Willies are only hibernating till the poor, we have them with us [illegible] ways in Southern California.

If Fuel Director Garfield [illegible] on his job he would have [illegible] that recent famine of fuel in the East. He ought to have [illegible] the thermometer better, too.

There is a rapidly-increasing list of casualties at the [illegible] in various parts of the [illegible] the flyers too careless or [illegible] too slowly becoming [illegible].

With the loafers who [illegible] gregate around the stove in [illegible] ner grocery and discuss [illegible] gone to the front the [illegible] left to get along without [illegible] vice as best it can.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey [illegible] is going to France to study [illegible] ditions among women and [illegible] in that country. Lindsey [illegible] good fighting man that [illegible] find a place on the [illegible].

It is claimed that $6[illegible] of food, supplies, [illegible] ships have been burned [illegible] try by incendiaries [illegible] to war. The pro-Germ[illegible] match is costing us a [illegible].

It is said on good [illegible] no real spy has been [illegible] United States since the [illegible] the war. With the hord[illegible] agents in the employ of [illegible] ment of Justice they [illegible] able to corral one pretty [illegible].

A woman has been [illegible] uty police commissioner [illegible] of New York. What a [illegible] the time when the ordinary [illegible] thought a woman had no [illegible] he was bound to respect. [illegible] band even owned the clothes [illegible] wife, and she could not [illegible] divorce.

"Onward, Christian [illegible] suggested as the battle [illegible] America. But the trouble [illegible] both the words and music [illegible] ten by Englishmen. [illegible] compelling composition [illegible] ever heard that wonderful [illegible] originally written for a [illegible] school celebration in England [illegible] forth by massed bands?

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THE VIGILANT.

Surely the time for [illegible] has come
Now that the spring is [illegible] again!
Trees blossom though [illegible] and after rain
The robins hop; and [illegible] will hum.

Long was the winter, [illegible] were dumb
Long under snow our [illegible] have lain
Surely the time for [illegible] has come
Now that the spring is [illegible] again!

The spring—with [illegible] bling drum!
O builders of high [illegible] pain
Now is the hour with [illegible] make vain
The boast of kings in [illegible]

Surely the time for [illegible] has come!
—[Hartford [illegible]

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BY THE STAFF.

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If Germany has bitten off Russia, can she masticate it?

In the fish market the hooks ought to be kept for the fish.

Don't it jar you to see "Gum-Shoe" Bill Stone posing as a patriot?

The Kaiser says he will be in Paris in April. Make it April 1.

Why not call the disease that is afflicting the world Potsdamnation?

Pure food for thought is another thing we shall need when the war is over.

The war will never be won by the men who take a free ride in an open auto in a daylight parade.

You can tell the new $10,000,000,000 bills by the fact that the picture of Gen. Grant is printed on their face.

We might as well get ready for that third Liberty Loan. It is coming down the pike. Prepare to dig.

Love of country must have some of the attributes of a watch dog that barks when things are not just right.

If Carranza and the Kaiser got mixed up it will serve both of them right! Why not tie them together by the tails like a pair of cats and throw them over the fence?

A shortage of tramps is reported. No trouble about that; the Waxey Willies are only hibernating. Like the poor, we have them with us always in Southern California.

If Fuel Director Garfield had been on his job he would have prevented that recent famine of fuel in the East. He ought to have managed the thermometer better, too.

There is a rapidly-increasing list of casualties at the aviation camps in various parts of the South. Are the flyers too careless or are they too slowly becoming proficient?

With the loafers who used to congregate around the stove in the corner grocery and discuss the war gone to the front the government is left to get along without their advice as best it can.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver is going to France to study war conditions among women and children in that country. Lindsey is such a good fighting man that he ought to find a place on the western front.

It is claimed that $60,000,000 worth of food, supplies, munitions and ships have been burned in this country by incendiaries since we went to war. The pro-Germans will a match is costing us a pretty penny.

It is said on good authority that no real spy has been captured in the United States since the beginning of the war. With the horde of secret agents in the employ of the Department of Justice they ought to be able to corral one pretty soon.

A woman has been appointed deputy police commissioner of the city of New York. What a change from the time when the ordinary man thought a woman had no rights he was bound to respect. The husband even owned the clothes on his wife, and she could not sue him for divorce.

"Onward, Christian Soldiers" is suggested as the battle hymn of America. But the trouble is that both the words and music were written by Englishmen. But it is a compelling composition. Have you ever heard that wonderful hymn originally written for a Sunday school celebration in England, put forth by massed bands?

No other army in the history of the world has been so safeguarded as the American army. None other has had so many millions spent on its physical and moral welfare. Therefore when a man is needlessly killed we have the assurance that the arm of the government reached him to the limit of the precaution that can be afforded in actual warfare.

Among other questions the Kaiser will demand settlement at the end of the war is that of immigration. Will the people hurry to this country to escape the heavy burdens of taxation or will appeals to their patriotism keep them at home where they will be urged to remain to replace the waste places? The tariff question, too, must be compromised and important. Some new history is certain to be written along that line.

THE VIGILANTES.

Surely the time for making songs has come
Now that the spring is in the air again!
Trees blossom though men bleed and after rain
The robins hop; and soon the bees will hum.

Long was the winter, long our hearts were dumb
Long under snow our loyal dead have lain
Surely the time for making songs has come
Now that the spring is in the air again!

The spring—with bugles and a rolling drum!
O builders of high music with the pain
Now is the hour with singing to make vain
The boast of kings in Pandemonium!

Surely the time for making songs has come!

—[Harman Hamilton.

Again.

SET MURDER TRIAL TODAY.

Marie Pinzon Edwards to Face Jury a Second Time.

Woman Accused of Senator's Death in Retirement.

Attorneys Seek to Have Her Released on Bail.

Superior Judge Willis at 10 o'clock this morning, will reset for trial the case of Marie Pinzon Edwards, charged with the slaying of United States Senator Henry H. Lyon, on October 1, last. It is understood, according to Defense Attorney Guy C. Earl, that an application will be made this morning to have the defendant, because of ill-health, released on bail.

Deputy District Attorney Keyes announced last night that, unless otherwise instructed by Dist.-Atty. Woolwine, he will proceed with the second trial of Miss Edwards.

Mrs. Edwards, following a jury disagreement on Saturday evening, after a week's trial, has remained in a condition bordering on nervous collapse. She remained in bed all day Sunday at the County Jail, refusing herself to all visitors, even to the exclusion of her attorneys. She told the matron that she wished to have a complete rest for the next few days.

The jury will comprise at least half of the jury to try Marie Edwards unless plans of the defense are not changed otherwise, according to Attorney Eddie.

Superior Judge Willis will retry the case depends upon his action this morning. Although the attorneys for the defense in the course of the trial, took exception to many rulings of Judge Willis they have not expressed a desire to have some other magistrate sit in the case.

The consensus of opinion among attorneys and magistrates yesterday around the County Courthouse was that a mistrial was anticipated at the outcome of the trial. Several legal lights expected a hung jury and looked upon six jurors holding out for conviction.

DECIDE TODAY ON INJUNCTION.

Court to Hand Down Written Opinion on Harassing of Workmen.

Judge Finlayson will file a written decision covering the injunction suit of the Southern California Iron and Steel Works against Amalgamated Association or Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and Golden Gate Lodge local No. 3, to restrain the members from harassing workmen and interfering with getting out government work.

The final arguments in the case were made yesterday. The decision will be handed down this afternoon. The case turns on the points whether there was picketing and against whom should an injunction lie, if one is granted. Many of the defendants were identified by witnesses called in behalf of the steel works, as having approached them at the plant.

FOR FASHION SHOW.

Co-operation in All Branches of Civic and Commercial Life is Reported by Dry Goods Man.

Secretary Alfred E. Adams of the Retail Dry Goods Merchants' Association, yesterday reported ready co-operation by all branches of civic and commercial life, in preparation for the Fashion Show, which will open Thursday morning. This afternoon most of the downtown store windows will be closed to public view, as busy decorators prepare to put the big show spaces in order for the famous promenade of fashions.

Los Angeles city officials always take cognizance of the importance of this merchandise world event, by appointing extra traffic officers, mounted policemen and plainclothesmen, for duty during the two days of heavy shopping. Mr. Adams has sent his customary letter to Chief of Police Butler, asking for similar arrangements this year, and anticipates a favorable reply.

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HOLLYWOOD MUSICIAN TO TRAIN SOLDIERS.

HIGH SCHOOL PROFESSOR GIVEN CHARGE OF ACTIVITIES AT CAMP LEWIS.

Hugo Kirchhofer, head of the music department of Hollywood High School, and now on leave of absence in Detroit, Mich., was yesterday appointed musical director of Camp Lewis, under the War Work Council of the Y.M.C.A.

Mr. Kirchhofer, while in Hollywood, did much to carry out the policy of the school to make the institution a vital part of the community. He organized and directed the Hollywood Community and Comradeship Sing. When this was organized last fall it numbered forty voices; now there are over 300. Mr. Kirchhofer has been conductor of the Chanters at Scottish Rite Hall. In connection with his school work he has organized a high grade artists' course at Hollywood High School for the school and the community. In this course he has presented, for several years past, the best artists appearing on the local musical, dramatic and concert stage.

Half of Mr. Kirchhofer's salary at the northern camp is to be paid by the High School. The Y.M.C.A. will pay the rest. The new musical director will take up his duties March 5, at which date he will report at the Y.M.C.A. conference in San Francisco.

"OTHER WOMAN" AGAIN.

Telegram Breathing Love Introduced in Wife's Divorce Suit Charging Desertion.

A copy of a telegram from the alleged other woman, was offered in evidence in the trial of the divorce suit of Mrs. Carrie E. Reuman against Clifford F. Reuman before Judge York yesterday, but not allowed. The telegram stated, it is said, that the other woman could not live without Clifford F. Reuman.

Mr. Reuman is a traveling man, and it is alleged that after a three months' trip on the road he arrived home two days before Christmas, 1916, apparently on loving terms with his wife, but again left home, although his wife had prepared for the Christmas dinner.

Mr. Reuman returned two days after Christmas and packed his trunk and went to his mother's residence at No. 925 West Twenty-third street. It is stated on information and belief that Mr. Reuman and Phoebe Hall, the sender of the alleged telegram, were together at the Raymond apartments and in Oakland. Mrs. Reuman charged desertion.

CITY COUNCIL ORDERS SIDEWALKS CLEARED.

MERCHANTS TO BE RESTRAINED FROM BLOCKING STREETS WITH THEIR WARES.

The Council determined yesterday to take drastic steps to compel the removal of cumbersome merchandise from sidewalks. The Chief of Police will be directed to arrest all persons who occupy any portion of a sidewalk in displaying fruits and other merchandise. It is expected the cases will be carried to the courts, but the Council took the stand that it is time to test the validity of the law.

When it was stated that several similar cases have been taken into the Police Court only to be thrown out by the magistrates, Councilman Criswell suggested that a few recall elections be instituted to remove judges who are lax in the enforcement of the law."

"Some of the police judges are certainly derelict in their duties," Mr. Criswell said, "and it is time that they show a little more interest in the public needs. If a few of them would be recalled they might change their attitudes."

Objection to the obstructions comes chiefly from persons who do business on West Fifth street. It was stated to the Council that there are several fruit stands that occupy nearly all of the sidewalk upon that street. The City Attorney said he had been informed that such persons are doing so because they claim to have a legal right to occupy the premises, asserting that the property is theirs and not that of the city.

The City Attorney suggested that the title to the property be quieted, but the Council wants to get quicker action and will direct Chief Butler to arrest every man who displays goods on a sidewalk.

INCORPORATIONS.

United Films Corporation, incorporators Marie Antrim, W. M. Shumway, Gertrude DeKay, E. L. Wingard and George H. Woodruff, capital stock $100,000, subscribed $5; the Chaplin Studios, Inc., incorporators Charles Chaplin, Sidney Chaplin and Thomas Herrington, capital stock $200,000, subscribed $200; the Loyola College of Los Angeles, incorporators Frederick Ruppert, John C. Grisez, Z. J. Maher, Henry E. Roesch, John D. Walshe and Richard H. Brainard.

Requiescat.

PAY TRIBUTE TO FORMER MAYOR

Prominent Citizens Attend Funeral Services.

Salt Lake Bishop Tells of Long Friendship.

Elaborate Floral Pieces at Late Residence.

Last rites were said over the body of former Mayor William H. Workman at his late home, No. 357 South Boyle avenue, yesterday afternoon. The house was banked with flowers of every description, and floral pieces formed a complete background for the casket, which was of San Domingo mahogany, lined with copper. Bishop Glass of Salt Lake City, formerly of Los Angeles, and a life-long friend of Mr. Workman, conducted the ceremony. He was assisted by Father Joseph McManus, rector of St. Mary's Church.

Bishop Glass, who was attired in vestments of rich red silk and lace, spoke feelingly of his late friend. In part, he said:

"It is not necessary that I say much to you in this presence today, for you are here to pay your respects to the remains of good Mr. Workman. Many come urged by the love and friendship of years; many come because they recognize in him a man who stood for upbuilding in this community.

"Mr. Workman lived here too long to need any man's praise. He came to Los Angeles when it was but a little pueblo. He led a life of usefulness in this community, a life which gave inspiration to all of us.

"He was a soldier, a good husband, a fine and splendid father, a helpful neighbor. He was one to whom people could appeal when things were dark and dreary. You are here today to offer your sympathy to Mrs. Workman and to tell her that his spirit will live for years to come. Better than riches is the treasure of an heritage left to her today. She and the family will see him in a new life—one in which there will be no sorrow nor sympathy.

"The soldiers that come home from the front say that they have found God in the hour of death. We are facing death here. We ought also to be face to face with God. Let us hope, and the way will lead us to God. So, today, as we pay tribute, let us rest assured that, with the thought that we pray for the soul of Mr. Workman, God may give to him peace and life everlasting."

The Estelle Heartt Dreyfus Quartette furnished the music. Exclusive of the mourners that packed the house and grounds, over 200 honorary pallbearers were drawn from among Mr. Workman's friends and former business associates. The active pallbearers were Marco H. Hellman, Daniel G. Grant, John H. Schumacher, Fred H. Howard, John G. Mott and Henry W. Keller.

MANY DELEGATIONS.

Many of the city's most prominent organizations sent delegates and floral offerings. The California and Jonathan clubs, Native Sons, the Masons, and Los Angeles County Pioneers' Society and the Chamber of Commerce, were represented by delegates at the funeral.

Never in the history of the city were so many "old-timers" of note assembled. The makers of Los Angeles were there.

Ramona Parlor, Native Sons, the First National Bank of Los Angeles, the Home Savings Bank, the Chamber of Commerce, Brownson House Settlement Association, the California and Jonathan clubs, the Pioneer Society and the principal and teachers of the Second-street school sent floral offerings, in addition to those sent by many private individuals.

After a short service at the house the remains were conveyed to Calvary Cemetery, the casket being covered with the flag and an immense blanket of pink roses, white hyacinths and violets.

NURSES FOR COUNTY WANT BETTER HOME.

SUPERVISORS HEAR PLEA OF ATTENDANTS AT THE HOSPITAL.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday listened to a story of the lack of housing accommodations for the nurses attached to the County Hospital, told by Mrs. Ellen K. Foster and others.

The leading women's clubs of the city were represented at the hearing before the board. Besides the Friday Morning, Ebell, City and Cosmos clubs, representatives were present from the Professional Women and the Shakespeare Club of Pasadena.

The consensus of opinion was that the nurses require a modern home with adequate sleeping accommodations. The board is asked to appropriation $200,000 to cover the cost of a modern building.

In his report to the Supervisors, N. R. Martin, superintendent of charities states that the present Nurses' Home is noisy; the rooms small, dark, poorly ventilated and with little direct sunlight. The ceilings are low; living-room accommodations inadequate, and the building has been added to until the floors are on different levels, he said.

IS FOUND GUILTY.

Seferano Lopez will be sentenced on March 1, after having been found guilty by a jury in Judge Willis's court yesterday of the charge of robbing Victor Giraud of No. 615 San Benito street, on January 20. The court denied the motion of the defendant's attorney for a new trial.

WILL HEAR PLEAS.

Judge McCormick yesterday set Thursday morning for hearing the pleas of Myron E. Thomas, Roy Hamilton and Arthur Cogdill, charged with robbing Henry Nutman of a watch and chain and some parcel checks on the night of January 21. Tom Brinegar, accused with the others, pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for March 25.

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Because of last week's rains the response to this advertisement was not so brisk as usual; so you have still an opportunity to save a third on finest lingerie in crepe de chine:

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Ordinarily $7.50 to $12, now $4.95 to $9.00.

(Muslinwear: Third Floor)

Kitten's Ear—soft and silky and lustrous; a beautifully draping fabric in navy, Japan blue, sand, plum and taupe shades; 54 inches wide, yard.....$9.00

New Wool Jerseys—in light tan, pigeon blue, grays, taupe and other colors that women most ask for; 54 inches wide; yard.....$4.50

Duvet de Laine—another popular suiting in light tan (beige), gray, sand, taupe, Japan blue, navy and black; 54 inches wide, yard.....$4.50

Poiret Twills—in light tan, sand, gray and navy; a hard-twisted material that is in the height of fashion for suits and coats; 54 inches wide, yard.....$5.00

(Dress Goods: Second Floor)

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SPEEDS INTO JAIL.

Ten-day Sentence Imposed on German Motorcyclist who Beats Passenger Train.

Ten days in the County Jail was the sentence meted out to Max Sauerbrey, 20 years old, and a German alien enemy, yesterday by Justice Hanby, on a charge of speeding.

Sauerbrey told the court that he had an insatiable desire for racing with fast-going passenger trains. He was out on the highway between El Monte and Pomona riding his motorcycle on Sunday afternoon, when a Santa Fe passenger train hove in sight, rumbling toward Los Angeles at fifty miles an hour.

The young German opened wide the throttle and shot by the engineer, waving a victorious Teutonic greeting as he did so. The victory didn't last very long, however, for a county deputy sheriff took after the speeder and haled him into court. Sauerbrey told the court that he came to this country about two years ago.

WOULD COME BACK.

Attorney Convicted of Using Stolen Money Seeks Vacating of Disbarment Order on Error.

Fred H. Thompson, who was convicted of converting to his own use $15,000 stolen from the Los Angeles postoffice by Orlando Altorre, is trying again to have his name restored to the roll of attorneys, following the disbarment action of the District Court of Appeal.

His petition asking that the disbarment order be vacated was filed in that court yesterday. Thompson claims that he was not notified of the hearing when his case was before the court. It is contended, however, that, as the record, showing his conviction of a felony and his sentence to McNeil's Island by United States District Judge Olin Wellborn, was introduced it was not considered necessary for him to be notified to appear. Such, at least, was the holding of the court in the Frederick M. Shepard case. The petitioner also alleges that his conviction of taking the stolen money was not moral turpitude.

ASK SUPERVISORS TO COMPLETE BOULEVARD

N. D. Darlington, State Highway Commissioner, appeared before the Board of Supervisors yesterday with reference to getting two pieces of land on the San Fernando-Pasadena highway in order to complete it. It was stated that the land will cost $7100, but that the ranchers cannot raise the money.

Mr. Darlington wants the county to take care of this property and the board took the matter under advisement. The county wants the State to take over four miles of the highway between La Canada and Pasadena, and Mr. Darlington intimated that probably this will be done.

JAIL FOR LAST OF SIX CAR THIEVES.

Harry B. Wallace, alias Elmer Wells, the last of the so-called Southern Pacific car thieves, was sentenced to three months in the County Jail, in addition to a fine of $100, by United States District Judge Trippet yesterday. He had already spent two months in jail. Of the six men who were either convicted or who pleaded guilty to looting freight cars in transit from San Francisco to Arizona points, three were given penitentiary sentences and the others escaped with fines and jail sentences.

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Stocks and Bonds.

MARKET WEIGHTED DOWN BY RUSSIAN SITUATION.

Dubious Dividend Status of Prominent Issues Weakens Values.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The dubious dividend status of certain prominent issues, coupled with the more disconcerting character of the Russian situation, acted as a weight over today's stock market, affecting gross recessions of two to five points in the general list.

Domestic conditions were confusing, the West reporting a halt in trade, due mainly to inadequate shipping facilities, but local money rates were appreciably easier as a result of last Saturday's better bank statement.

Weakest features, in addition to rails and utilities, included Atlantic, Gulf, Marines, General Motors, Texas Company, and General Electric, United States Steel lost an extreme point, but rallied slightly. Sales amounted to 625,000 shares.

Among the day's railway returns, New York Central's December net gain of $1,760,000 was offset by Northern Pacific's loss of slightly over $1,000,000.

Bonds as a whole tended slightly lower, Liberty issues showing relative steadiness. Total sales, par value, aggregated $3,675,000.

United States old 2's advanced ¼ per cent. on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 25.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.	
Total sales, February 25, 1918	$ 3,718,000
Same day of week last year	3,179,000
Since January 1 to date	179,340,000
Same period in 1917	182,088,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.	
Total sales, February 25, 1918	571,004 shares
Same day of week last year	419,130 shares
Since January 1 to date	28,307,994 shares
Same period in 1917	26,064,950 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 25.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75.30	4.76 7-16
Paris	5.79¾	5.79¼
Switzerland	71.50	71.50
Peking	110.25	110.50
Shanghai	109.75	109.50
Greece	10.40	10.45
Holland	44.25	44.62½
Bombay	34.50	34.75
Calcutta	34.50	34.75
Italy	5.72	5.70¼
Rolo	61.75	61.87½
Yokohama	51.75	51.87½
Manila	49.87½	50.00
Russia	15.00	15.25
Stockholm	27.87½	27.62½
Copenhagen	20.00	20.25
Christiania	20.87½	20.62½

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Chicago Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
1,000 Alaska	3	3	2¾	....
.... Alaska Juneau	....	....	....	....
.... Atlantic G. L.	....	....	....	....
13,500 Atl.Gulf & W. I.	116¾	111	111¾	....
4,100 Allis Chalmers	37¾	35	35¾	....
200 Do. pfd	81	80½	80½	....
100 Alley Steel	....	....	....	80½
.... Am. Ag. Chem.	....	....	....	97
1,000 Am. Cit. & Pty.	74	73	73¾	....
.... Do. pfd	....	....	....	90
7,700 Am. Beet Sugar	48¾	47	47¾	....
.... Do. pfd	....	....	....	93
1,000 Am. Cotton Oil	52¾	50¾	50¾	....
.... Do. pfd	....	....	....	97
.... Am. Ice Sec.	....	....	....	19½
.... Am. Express	....	....	....	90
1,000 Am. Hide & L.	15¾	13½	13¾	....
2,000 Do. pfd	40	39	39	....
1,100 Am. Linseed	33¾	32	31½	....
.... Do. pfd	74¾	74	74	....
4,300 Am. Locomotive	65¾	64	64¼	....
.... Do. pfd	....	....	....	97
.... Am. Smelting	....	....	....	105½
1,000 Am. Steel Fdy.	66¾	65¾	66	....
1,100 Am. Sugar	107	106¾	107	....
.... Am. Tel. & Tel.	102	101¾	102	....
1,100 Am. Tob.	185	185	184	....
.... Am. Woolen	....	....	....	97
1,100 Am. Zinc, L. & S.	24¾	24	24¾	....
.... Anaconda	51¾	50¾	50¾	....
.... Atch., T. & S. Fe	100½	100½	100½	....
.... Atl. Coast Line	118	118	118	....
.... Am. Tob. pfd.	....	....	....	97
1,100 Am. Steel Fdy.	34¾	33¾	33¾	....
1,100 Am. Sugar pfd.	107	106¾	106¾	....
.... Am. Smelt. pfd.	104	104	104	....
.... Am. Steel Fdy.	104¾	104	104	....
.... Am. Tel. & Tel.	102	101¾	102	....
.... Am. Tob. pfd.	....	....	....	97
1,100 Am. Sugar pfd.	107	106¾	107	....
.... Am. Woolen	....	....	....	97
1,100 Am. Zinc, L. & S.	24¾	24	24¾	....
.... Anaconda	51¾	50¾	50¾	....
.... Atch., T. & S. Fe	100½	100½	100½	....
.... Atl. Coast Line	118	118	118	....
.... Baldwin Loco.	70	70	71¾	....
.... Do. pfd.	....	....	....	101
700 Balt. & Ohio	43¾	43¾	43¾	....
200 Balt. & Ohio pfd.	50	50	50	....
200 Beth. Steel pfd.	90	90	90	....
.... Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	89¾	89¾	89¾	....
100 Can. Pac.	142	142	142	....
700 Cent. Leather	72¾	72¾	72¾	....
.... Do. pfd.	104	104	104	....
100 Col. Fuel & Iron	39¾	39¾	39¾	....
100 Col. Gas & Elec.	53¾	53¾	53¾	....
100 Col. Picture	13¾	13¾	13¾	....
100 Col. Picture pfd.	45¾	45¾	45¾	....
100 Col. Fuel & Iron	39¾	39¾	39¾	....
100 Col. Gas & Elec.	53¾	53¾	53¾	....
100 Col. Picture	13¾	13¾	13¾	....
100 Col. Picture pfd.	45¾	45¾	45¾	....
1,400 Con. Gas	137	136¾	136¾	....
1,000 Corn Products	17¾	17¾	17¾	....
.... Do. pfd.	....	....	....	97
1,000 Crucible Steel	66¾	65¾	65¾	....
.... Cuba Cane Sugar	25¾	25¾	25¾	....
.... Do. pfd.	....	....	....	90
100

True Oil

We were deluged with orders in this issue yesterday while other Brokers report unusual demand, in response to the news issued Sunday regarding the white substance covering the casing which was pronounced by the driller to be

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...AL PRODUCE MARKET.

...Burbanks have dropped ...gain, now selling for $1.70. ...are is the list of quotations ...elling raw at 17 and roasted ...Fresh-produce men have ...ason for rejoicing as the ...ttoes; grain growers, how... not so happy, it being ...if the rain came in time ...the wheat and barley crops ...great degree. The prospects ...our crop of hay should not ...d, however, though it will ...than usual.

...day's receipts were some... ...avier in butter, eastern ...and apples, 494 cases of eggs, ...ands of butter, 4900 pounds ...rnia cheese, 27,900 pounds ...cheese, 2520 sacks of po... ...0 sacks of onions, 600 sacks ...60 sacks of sweet pota... ...4239 boxes of apples were ...ipts at the Produce Ex...

...dropped locally about 3 ...in the East the drop was ...being 10c in New York and ...Chicago. Last year at this ...extras were selling at ...Lemoed oil advanced 5c.

...BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

...Country extras, Produce Exchange ...s per pound; price to retail mer... ...25c; specials, 51½ to 52½ per lb.; ...ard contracts in 1-lb. cartons, 52 to ...

...ck extras, Produce Exchange closing ...s per doz.; price to retail merchants, ...s per doz. Case count, Produce Ex... ...ices, 35 per doz.; price to retail ...s, 37 per doz.; pullets, Produce ...ng price, 36 per doz.; price to re... ...s, 39 to 39 per doz.

...ICES CURRENT.

...California fresh, 26; eastern twins, ...olden, 26; eastern longhorns, 25; ...s, wheel, 42; block Swiss, 35; ...lb. Roquefort, 34@35.

...Oranges—Navels, 2.00@3.25; ...pomelos, 3.00@3.25; limes, 4.00; ...grapefruit, extra fancy, 3.00; limes, ...ersimmons, 1.75 lug.

...Apples, Delicious, 1.65@2.00; ...King David, 1.75@2.00; Spitzen... ...White Winter Pearmains, 1.50 ...Newtown Pippins, 1.45@1.75; ...60 box; Winter Banana, 1.60 box; ...Red, 3.75 box; Smith Cider, 4-...

...Vegetables—These quotations are for ...sack: Artichokes, 90@1.15 ...dozen; beets, 75 to 90 sack; dozen, ...; cabbage, 2¼; 2.20 sack; red ...carrots, 50 doz.; cauliflower, 75 ...dozen; celery, 75c; chile, ...; cucumbers, 1.25@2.50 doz.; onions, 25 ...; eggplant, 20 lb.; horseradish ...doz.; lettuce, 1.10@1.15 crate; ...parsley, 25 doz.; Telephone peas, ...; radishes, 25 doz.; rhubarb, ...; spinach, 75 doz.; squash, 1½ ...; mixed-neck squash, 70@75; ...turnips, 90 doz.; tomatoes, 2.00 ...

...Deciduous—Bananas, 1.70@1.90 ...; dates, 2.50; sweets, 4.50@4.75 ...; figs, 90 lb.) Pink, No. 1, 9.00; ...bbage, 8.00; small white, 13.00; ...; manchurian rods, 9.25; Ruby ...; sweet, 10.00@11.00; blackeyes, ...; lentils, 25.25.

...CHILI—Ancho, 22; Jan chile, ...; bells tolpin, 75 lb.; garlic, 6; ...; dry white onions, 2.00 cwt. ...; onions, 50c, 10; extra choice, ...; prunes, 18; extra choice, 18½; ...; peaches, choice, 12½; fancy, ...; lemon peel, 25; orange ...20-30s, 17; 30-40s, 14; 40-...50s, 13; 60-70s, 10½; 70-80s, 10; ...

...WINE AND DATES—Sun Maid, 48 ...Thompson seedless, 48 16-oz., 2.50; ...; 2-crown, 2.50; 3-crown, 3.00; ...; 4-crown, 3.50; 5-crown, 4.00; ...; clusters, 2.50; 2lb. clusters, ...; 3.50; 7. L. B-crown, 1.85; ...crown, 3.00; 50-lb. boxes Muir... ...50; Sun, black, 25-lb. boxes, ...; 10-lb. Adriatic layer fig, 1.65; ...; fancy, 1.75; extra, 2.00; No Pits ...Drake, 22; pecans, large, 29 ...; Brazils, 16@17; walnuts, Asm. ...20; budded, 27; pine, 25 lb. ...roasted, 19.

...Nuts—Extra fancy head, Corn... screws, 9.00; fancy head, 8.25@ ...8.75; Red Rose, 7.50@8.00; ...California, 7.50; Stan., 7.75; ...Lavers', 5.75; brokers, 6.00@ ...40.00 ton; rice middlings, 45.00 ...50.00 ton.

...Honey—Following are prices for lots ...and delivery of the new without ...Rose, hard-grain fed, 125 to ...150 lbs., 15.00; 175 lbs. 15.00; ...15.75; steers too fleshy, grass ...18.00; medium, 9.50; grass fed, ...7.00@8.00; fair, 7.00@7.50; ...6.00@7.50. Bulls and stags, ...Calves, 125 to 150 lbs., 9.00; 175 to ...200 lbs., 10.00; heavy, 7.50. ...Hogs—To producers: Small broilers, ...over 1½ lbs. and up, 38; fryers, 2½ ...to 3 lbs., 34; roasting chickens, 3 lbs. and ...up, 32; Food Administration orders ...to be paid for rendering carcasses only until ...further notice. Fowls, 27; Indian Runners, ...30; young toms, 13 lbs. up, ...; young hens, 25; ...; young ducks, 25; ...; No. 2, 1915; sweet, ...; milk fed, 28; No. 2, 28; No. 1 ...

...Eggs, 17; medium steers, 16; ...; cows, 15; steer kind, ...; heifers, 14½; ...; medium kine, ...; 8-lb. cut, 17; ...; full chuck, 14½; cow rounds and ...; and rumps, 16½.

...Pork—Extra fancy, 34½; fancy, 33½; ...; extra fancy, 34; bulked, ...; extra fancy, 45½@46½; picnics, 23; ...; hams, 28.

...Provisions—Bacon—D.S. bellies, 32 ...; boneless, 30; bellies, smoked, ...; 36; dried beef knuckles, 34; ...

...Lard—Tierces, heads on, 22; heads off, ...; half barrels, 13; tubs, 30; ...; bricks, fresh, 29; bulk, ...; bellies, 28; leaf ...

...Fish—Wholesale prices per pound: ...; halibut, 13; rock cod, 8; sand ...; 20; mackerel, 9; carp, 6; ...; perch, 7; eels, 8; minnels, ...; trout, 1.75 a hundred; quart ...; bloaters, 24@25; salmon trout, ...; pickled sturgeon, 45@50.

...Los Angeles Produce Exchange—Prices quoted by ...Angeles, Cal., (Sugar invoiced be... ...month, inclusive, subject ...to change without notice to gro... ...in carload lots; handling ...charges, 1.75 per cwt., if paid not ...later than 10th day of month, inclusive; pub... ...day of month, inclusive, ...1.75 per cwt., if paid not ...later than 10th day of following month. Cane ...sugar advance over the cwt. sack basis ...25 cents per cwt., if paid ...on or before

Spectacular.

DUEL IN DARK WITH GUN MAN.

Detectives Take "Bad" Party After Epic Battle.

Surrenders, but Doesn't Put up Hands, You Bet.

He's Charged with Shooting up Hotel Landlord.

Unable to see their quarry and guided only by the flashes of fire which accompanied the shots fired at them from a revolver, Detectives Sam Browne and John Fitzgerald fought a remarkable duel last evening in a pitch black hallway of the Russ Hotel, No. 102½ North Los Angeles street, they captured Jim Greenwood, 50 years old, alleged Arizona gun-man, charged with having shot and perhaps fatally wounding James Nielson, proprietor of the hotel.

Browne and Fitzgerald together with Detective Sid Hickock were passing the hotel when they heard a shot. They stopped. Hickock went to the First-street door of the Russ. The other two proceeded in the direction of the shot. Rushing up the stairs they saw Greenwood disappear into a dark hallway. Fitzgerald and Brown started in pursuit. Greenwood opened fire.

The hall is about five feet wide. The detectives, standing side by side, practically filled it. Neither was able to see Greenwood. At the sound of the first shot they ranged themselves along the sides of the passageway. Greenwood's bullets flew between.

Fitzgerald fired three times, Browne, kneeling, shot twice. Fitzgerald dropped onto the floor and crawled to a near-by closet. Fitzgerald and Browne followed him, shooting all the while. One of Browne's shots grazed the man's stomach, and another of Fitzgerald's ripped one of the buttons from his coat. By this time the detectives had reached the closet. Fitzgerald kicked open the door. Greenwood was squatting on his hands and knees. Browne stuck his gun in the man's neck.

"Hands up!" commanded Browne.

"Never threw my hands up for a feller in all my life," snarled Greenwood. But he surrendered.

Mr. Nielson alleges that Greenwood shot him because of a dispute that arose when Mr. Nielson objected to his "packing" a gun. Greenwood said he would do it if he wanted to, whereupon Nielson ejected him. The police say that Greenwood then opened fire. One bullet hit Mr. Nielson's frontal bone, just above the left eye, but was deflected. A second shot him in the left breast, coming out through the shoulder. It was due only to the fact that Nielson staggered as he was coming down the steps that saved his life, for the third bullet hit him over the heart and finally lodged itself in the muscles of the left arm. The police surgeons believe that he will recover. Greenwood is held on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, which will be changed to that of murder, should Nielson die.

COURT INDORSES WOMEN JURORS.

Thoroughly "Legal," Asserts Judge McCormick as Point is Raised.

Superior Judge McCormick handed down a decision yesterday that women jurors are part and parcel of the body politic, in his court at least, unless a better reason than any yet presented causes their downfall in the realm of justice. At the commencement of the trial of Emil Spitzer, charged with embezzling $478 from the Sunkist Candy Company, Henry C. Bodkin, representing Spitzer, surprised a dozen women called for jury duty, by declaring that women are not legal jurors. Deputy District Attorney Powell entered an immediate objection, and the court agreed with him.

Women called to try the case were Mrs. Amy P. Bliss, Mrs. Mary H. Lay, Mrs. Rose C. Bryant, Mrs. Laura R. Liebcrthal and Mrs. Martha B. Earle. The trial of Spitzer will probably be concluded today.

LEAVES LARGE ESTATE.

Widow and Three Children Will Inherit Property of Late Augustine Wright.

The estate of Augustine Wright, retired engineer and former member of the Board of Public Utilities, was valued at $192,000, according to the petition for the probate of the will filed yesterday. Mr. Wright died on February 3.

The estate will go to the widow, Natalie J. Wright, and three children. The family reside at No. 2824 Sunset place.

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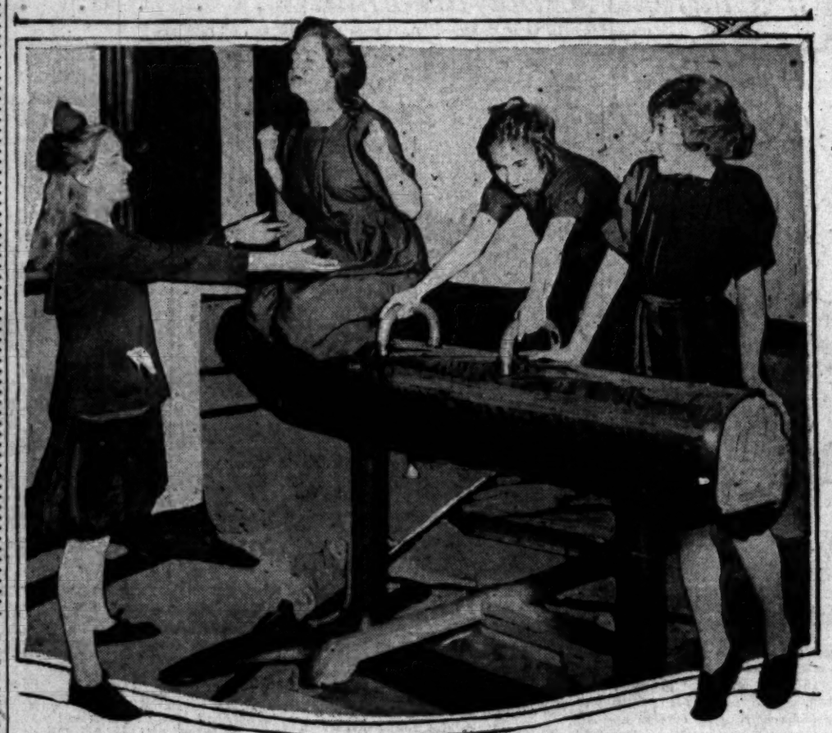

One way in which the Y.W.C.A. helps young women.

Left to right, those shown in this Y.W.C.A. gymnasium interior, are Blanche Sweet, Constance Talmadge, Lillian and Dorothy Gish.

Y.W.C.A. Goal.

TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND IN TWO DAYS OR FAIL.

ONLY $28,770 has been raised by the Y.W.C.A. in its campaign for $55,000 maintenance fund. This leaves an approximate $26,000 to be secured within two days, and the association's 200 women and men who are carrying on the drive are sending out an urgent S.O.S. call to the citizens of Los Angeles to rally to their aid.

The total number of subscriptions given to date is 909, out of the city's population of some 600,000. There are only two more days left in which the total sum may be raised, and, while the rain has seriously handicapped the women in their work, they have been indefatigable in their efforts. For the most part the subscriptions have been in small sums, and in order to reach the goal, the leaders say, it is necessary not only that these small amounts be contributed in larger numbers, but that there be subscriptions in the larger figures, else the campaign will fail.

The drive, upon which the Y.W.C.A. depends for its actual maintenance, including the carrying on of its Americanization and other patriotic branches of service, is being conducted on an "all, or nothing" basis, which means that a failure to secure the total amount of $55,000 will nullify the pledges and subscriptions given on this contingency.

The campaign, spread over a period of eight days, will close tomorrow, which leaves but two days in which to secure the balance of the sum total, or $26,000. With the danger of failure imminent, the 200 campaigners are asking the co-operation today of every citizen.

The Ebell Club, through its president, Mrs. Chester C. Ashley, and its Executive Committee, has contributed a $500 Liberty Bond to the association, while to this has been added many individual contributions from the club members.

Interest in the drive is given added zest by the competition between the four divisions and the twenty-one teams. Mrs. Chester C. Ashley's division, the blue, is leader by the last count, having a total contribution of $8780.75. Second place is held by the white division, led by Mrs. William J. Chichester and Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, who yesterday reported a total of $6105.25. The red division, with Mrs. J. T. Anderson as leader, has $1786.50. Among the teams, No. 12, captained by Mrs. S. W. Crabill, leads with $4743. Mrs. Willoughby Rodman's team, No. 9, is second with $3676, while No. 7, captained by Mrs. George H. Clark, has third place, with $1818.25.

Means a Lot.

PLAN HEARTY SEND-OFFS FOR MEN GOING TO FIGHT.

TENTATIVE plans for giving suitable "send-offs" to the soldiers and sailors who leave here for training camps and the front were discussed yesterday at a conference at the City Hall. The meeting was suggested by Mayor Woodman and a score of prominent citizens responded.

It is planned to organize a large body of men and women who will work in co-operation with the Red Cross and other patriotic organizations. E. E. Leighton, chairman of Exemption Board No. 6, said he had given the subject much consideration and believes that a proper solution of the problem is about the most important "war measure" now before the citizens.

"I have found that many of our men leave for the front under conditions which should not be tolerated," he said. "Every one of them is entitled to some special show of respect. It is not right that part of a crowd leaving is given a good send-off, parents and friends being at the depots to wish them God-speed, and then have some other men depart without anyone showing interest in them. I tell you a box of cigars, sweets and magazines given to a man at the train has a wonderful effect upon him."

The ideas expressed by Mr. Leighton were approved by others and it was tentatively decided to work out a send-off programme embodying his suggestions.

Fred W. Blanchard was elected chairman of the meeting; E. P. Teasdale, secretary, and H. L. Suydan, treasurer. The following were selected for the Organization Committee: W. M. Bowen, Seward A. Simons, E. E. Leighton, C. W. Clegg, W. C. Tyler, Mrs. E. E. Leighton, Mrs. John L. Butler, Mrs. W. C. Tyler.

The committee will meet at the Mayor's office this morning at 11 o'clock.

TO RECOMPENSE SELF.

Seaman's Opium Running Plea is followed by Statement that He Did it to Collect Wages.

A new setting to that old English comedy, "A New Way to Pay Old Debts," was put on in United States District Judge Trippet's court yesterday, when Capt. W. L. G. Reed, of the good ship Falcon, pleaded guilty to having four cans of smoking opium in his possession. He was fined $400.

His alleged partner in the game, Emilio Garcia, owner of the vessel, which is now tied up at Los Angeles Harbor, pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for April 9.

It was stated in behalf of Reed, who has been a deep-sea sailor out of the harbor for many years, that the opium belonged to Garcia, and that it was in his possession until Reed brought it to Los Angeles for sale, in order that he might get what was coming to him in wages from Garcia. The allegation that Garcia was the man responsible for Reed's trouble was not denied.

ASSAULT BY MILK CAN.

A twenty-four-pound milk can slid down a chute at the plant of the Crescent Creamery Company on Winston street and hit John C. Swartz, a teamster for another creamery company. During the trial of his suit against the Crescent Creamery for $45,000 damages in Judge Monroe's court yesterday he told how he was injured. He claims that the company was negligent. The company claimed that Mr. Swartz was negligent because he did not look out for the can after signaling for the cans to be sent down from the third floor.

INCOME BLANKS HERE.

Those who Made Over Three Thousand Dollars Last Year Can Now be Accommodated by Collector.

Persons who had an income in excess of $3000 in 1917, many of whom have been uneasy lest Uncle Sam might overlook them by not furnishing the necessary blanks, need feel no more alarm, for they were received yesterday at the office of Collector of Internal Revenue Carter and every individual in the local internal revenue tax collection district can be accommodated. Thousands of these blanks will be sent out immediately.

It is evident that the action of the government in extending the time within which returns can be made to April 1, is not generally known, or that the income taxpayers are patriotically trying to accommodate themselves to the request of Secretary McAdoo, for yesterday the local office was almost swamped with callers. Not only the offices but the corridors on the third floor were packed with people, all eager to do their bit for the successful prosecution of the war.

By a ruling received yesterday a member of a partnership is not entitled to deduct a proportionate share of depreciation that occurred in the property of the partnership during 1917.

IS PROMOTED.

Attorney E. A. Hamilton of the law firm of Belt & Hamilton, writes that he has been promoted to first lieutenant of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Infantry, stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

SEES OTHER MAN'S AUTO, STOPS GIFTS.

Because he saw another man's automobile standing in front of his home, Earl James Jamison did not give his wife, Gertrude Anna Jamison, silk stockings and other Christmas gifts, he told Judge Wood in alimony court yesterday, but left without entering the house. Mr. Jamison was cited to appear and show cause why he should not pay alimony. The court ordered him to pay $10 a week for the first month and $12 weekly for the support of his wife and child until the trial of Mrs. Jamison's maintenance action.

Mrs. Jamison, charged her husband with cruelty. She says he struck her.

FOUR-TIME LOSER.

Fiddling Apiarist is Bested in Contest Involving Forty-acre Tract in Castaic Country.

Leslie B. Bywater, the musical virtuoso and apiarist, yesterday for the fourth time lost forty acres of land in the Castaic country, in his contest with David W. Corbin, by a decision of the Commissioner of the General Land Office. For the second time the case may go to the Secretary of the Interior.

The original decision of Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell of the local Land Office was in favor of Corbin, it appearing that Bywater, who made a specialty of packing a "fiddle box" through the country, and was a skilled handler of bees, had not sustained his contention that he had resided on the land the proper time.

This judgment was affirmed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, but the Secretary of the Interior modified the judgment to the extent that he ruled that the land ought to be divided. Corbin asked a rehearing, as he thought he ought to have all the land. This was granted, and Corbin won. It is this decision that the Commissioner of the General Land Office has now upheld.

TROUBLE ON THE LINE.

A telephone office was the scene of the mating of Edith M. Long and Arthur L. Long. She was a telephone operator and attractive. He was an electrician. They went to Santa Ana and married, but happiness stayed only a few months. Yesterday Mrs. Long was in Judge York's court seeking a decree of divorce and it was awarded to her. Desertion and failure to provide were charged.

MAKE MORE LAWYERS.

The following applicants were admitted to practice by the District Court of Appeal yesterday: A. G. Thompson, Louis A. Copeland, Clarence H. Jordan, H. G. Raettig and F. M. Powers.

Brings Report.

FLOOD CONTROL SOON SETTLED.

Army and Navy Officials to Make Investigation.

Report will Decide Matter, Says Former Senator.

Heatless Days Waken East to War's Seriousness.

The $4,000,000 flood control programme is practically an assured fact, according to former Senator Frank P. Flint, who returned from Washington yesterday after a hearing of the bond matter before the Securities Committee of the Federal Reserve Board last Wednesday.

"An investigation will be made through the army and navy departments of the needs of flood control, after which, if the report is favorable to Los Angeles, we shall be allowed to proceed," said Senator Flint last evening, "and as there is no question as to the need, there is no doubt in my mind as to the result of the committee's investigation."

Mr. Flint arranged for a hearing by the Federal Reserve Committee Board, of the application for approval of the sale of the bonds. It will be a matter of a month at least before the result of the army and navy investigation will be learned, he believes.

The bill, prepared by the Los Angeles County Counsel, granting the Flood Control District the right to go into the Forest Reserve and erect dams and other flood control necessities, which was introduced by Congressman Osborne during the time Mr. Flint was in Washington, will be acted upon favorably, Mr. Flint believes. The bill was referred to the Committee on Public Lands, two members of which are from California, Congressmen Raker and Ellison.

"I was surprised at the spirit that prevails in the East regarding the war," said Mr. Flint, discussing war matters. "I believe the heatless days that were observed in the East are responsible for it in a large measure. A few heatless days, coupled with zero weather, have done more toward arousing Americans to the seriousness of the war than all the wheatless or meatless days that have been observed."

It is one thing to go without meat and enjoy fish as a substitute, but to conduct one's business in a refrigerator is quite a different matter, according to the former Senator.

Mr. Flint said he went East prepared to find Congress more or less apathetic over the situation, but found every member fully alive to the seriousness of the problems confronting the government.

FEDERAL CONTROL.

"It is only a question of time," he said, "until every industry of importance will be under government control. The packers will be the next industry to come under Uncle Sam's control."

The government, Mr. Flint said, is placing many women in charge of responsible positions and many more are being trained to take the places of the men who will be called in the next draft. Already eastern business men are seeking competent women for all positions of responsibility.

FIGHTS CRAZED MAN.

Doctor Battles Afflicted Patient in Police Ambulance on Way to the Hospital.

Dr. J. R. Reid of the Receiving Hospital staff had a desperate struggle early yesterday with J. G. Jackson, a barber, of No. 272 South Grand avenue. The ambulance was called to take Jackson to the hospital, it being thought that he was suffering from epilepsy. Dr. Reid and Chauffeur Handle loaded him into the ambulance and started for the hospital with him, but Jackson suddenly became violent and attacked the doctor.

While the ambulance flew along the streets Dr. Reid found it all he could do to hold his own with his opponent, and when the ambulance reached the Receiving Hospital Chauffeur Handle found the doctor and the patient both out of breath and sparring for time.

ATTORNEY BANKRUPT.

Ferman Enes Davis, an attorney of this city, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. He gives his debts as $43,016, of which $42,991 is unsecured. His assets are given as $11,840, of which $10,700 is the alleged value of a lease and option on 8200 acres of land in Tehama county, which is scheduled as "very doubtful." The value of his "carriages" is put down at $1070, also described as "very doubtful." He claims property valued at $1070 as exempt under the law.

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